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President Coolidge and Mrs. Coolidge are the latest patients to undergo the chlorine cure, and, in fact a large number of members of Congress and distinguished persons at the national City have allowed themselves to be subjects for the experiments which the army medical service is carrying out.

The chlorine cure was discovered by chance at the poison gas arsenal at Edgewood, Maryland, during the war. When the war influenza epidemic was at its height none of the employees at the arsenal's chlorine plant suffered. Medical officers were interested by this inexplicable fact. They investigated, and found the chlorine cure, which only lately has come to public notice.

The method of treatment is to mix one ounce of chlorine gas with 60,000 cubic feet of air in a room made air-tight so that the proportion of chlorine and air can be controlled. Patients sit in the room for about an hour, simply breathing the chlorine air, which is renewed from time to time.

One treatment often is sufficient to drive the cold away, but sometimes two treatments are taken.

Mr. Weeks, the Secretary for War, cured himself of a stubborn cold last winter by taking the treatment. He became an enthusiastic convert to chlorine, and spread the news throughout Washington that the War Department could cure anybody's cold. That started the fashionable rush to the chlorine chamber. People with other complaints offered themselves for experimental treatment, and the officers of the medical corps reports that cures have been effected in cases of coryza laryngitis, pharyngitis, bronchitis, whooping-cough, and influenza.

When President Coolidge had to cancel his engagements a short time ago because of a stubborn cold, Brig. General Sawyer, the White House physician, urged him to visit the chlorine chamber. Dr. Sawyer is a convinced believer in the efficacy of the process. The President went, and was so much benefited that he persuaded Mrs. Coolidge, who also had a cold, to do likewise. Mrs. Coolidge's success was equal to her husband's.

If further experiments in New York confirm the results which have been attained at Washington, the Department of Health will establish chlorine chambers in all parts of the city for free use.

## SHIPPING NEWS

The following local shipping and mail intelligence has been corrected to noon to-day:

### Impending Departures.

(Compiled from our Shipping Advertisements.)

Vessel	Agents	Destination	Sailing
Halfpenny	D & Co.	Poohow	5th Aug.
Barclay	D & Co.	Shanghai	5th
P. G. H. Id	D & Co.	San Francisco	5th
West Main	H & B	Los Angeles	5th
Takato M.	N Y K	Parana	5th
Leaving	J M Co.	Hobow	5th

### Impending Arrivals.

(Supplied by our Advertisers.)

Vessel	Agents	From	Due Hongkong
E. of Australia	C P S Ltd.	Yokohama	6th Aug.
Memba	B & S	Hankow	6th
Memba	B & S	Shanghai	6th
Amy Le Bideau	M M	Singapore	7th
Kamo M.	N Y K	Suez	12th
Machuan	B & S	Yokohama	13th
Gleason	B & S	Hankow	16th

### Consignment Diary.

(Compiled from our Advertisements.)

Vessel	Agents	Goods Stored	Free Storage Expires	Claims to be in by	Examination Date
V. G. H. Id	D & Co.	Kowloon	Aug. 5	Aug. 15	Aug. 5
Be. clench	D & Co.	Kowloon	Aug. 5	Aug. 15	Aug. 5
P. Jackson	D & Co.	Kowloon	Aug. 5	Aug. 15	Aug. 5

### Steamers' Movements.

Empress of Russia arrived at Shanghai on the 2nd Aug. left Shanghai on the 3rd Aug. and is due at Nanking on the 4th Aug.

### POST OFFICE NOTICES.

#### GENERAL HOLIDAY.

On Monday 4th Aug. the G. P. O. and Branch Post Offices will be open as follows:—G. P. O., Kowloon and Shum Shui P. Branches from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sheenwan Branch from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. and from 5 p.m. to 5 p.m. Western B. Branches and Yuenwai Branches from 8 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. to 5 p.m. There will be one collection from the pillar boxes and one delivery of ordinary correspondence on Sunday and also one delivery of registered correspondence from the G. P. O. at 9 a.m. There will be one delivery from each of the Branch Post Offices at N. Y. The Money Order Office will be suitably closed.

### INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Shanghai	Boothlow	4th Aug.
U. S. A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai	President Garfield	4th
Hankow	President Garfield	4th
Manila	President Garfield	4th
U. S. A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai	Van O. Jackson	5th
U. S. A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai	Van O. Jackson	5th
U. S. A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai	Empress of Australia	5th
U. S. A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai	Kalyan	7th
U. S. A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai	Pres. Jefferson	8th

### OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date
Hankow, Peking & Shanghai	T. M. G.	Tues. 5 inst. 8.30 a.m.
Manila	Pres. Garfield	Tues. 5 inst. 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Poochow	Halfpenny	Tues. 5 inst. noon
Swatow & Bangkok	Kaying	Tues. 5 inst. 1 p.m.
Straits & Calcutta	Footings	Tues. 5 inst. 1 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U. S. A. & Europe via Victoria B. O.	Pres. Jackson	Thurs. 7 inst. 10.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius & S. Africa	Mysapor	Thurs. 7 inst. 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolula, Canada, U. S. A., & Europe via San Francisco	Tenye M.	Fri. 8 inst. 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Poochow	Hainlog	Fri. 8 inst. 4 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius & S. Africa, Egypt & Europe via Marseilles	Ceranza	Sat. 9 inst. 10.30 a.m.

(Correspondence bearing vessel's name only.)  
(Correspondence specially superscribed via Siberia only.)

## ENTERTAINMENTS.

LAST PERFORMANCES TO-DAY  
at 2.30, 5.15, 7.15 & 9.15 p.m.  
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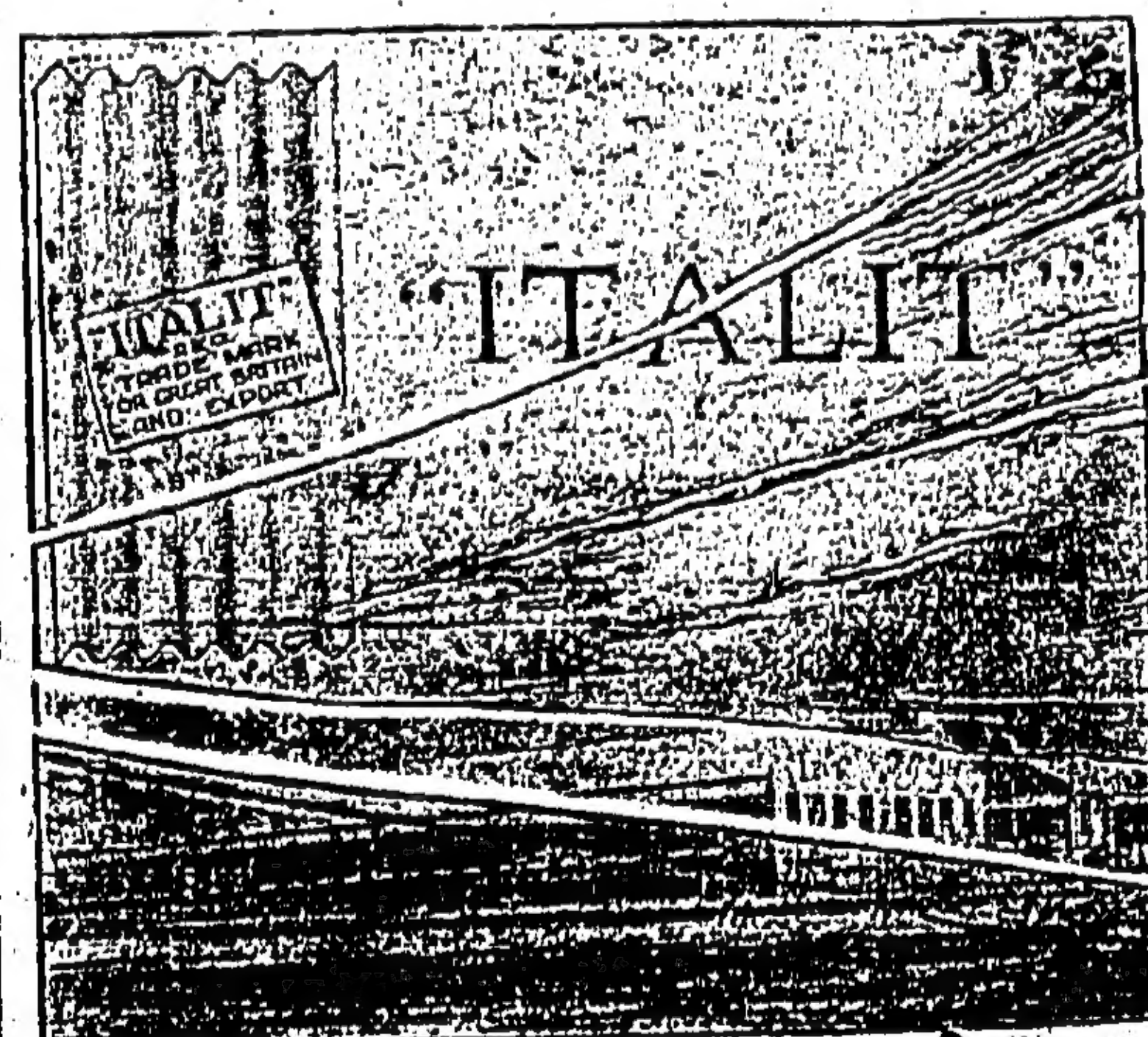
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Waterlevels in English Feet 10 a.m.

Place of Observation	Highest W.L. ever recorded	Lowest W.L. ever recorded	W.L. Aug. 1	W.L. Aug. 2	W.L. Aug. 3
Wughow West River	+ 79.50	- 2.42	+ 53.2	+ 13.1	+ 13.1
Kongmoon	+ 14.70	- 0.80	+ 11.2	+ 1.9	+ 1.9
Linkanghow North	+ 57.03	0	+ 8.6	+ 8.6	+ 8.6
Shuohow	+ 35.81	0	+ 8.0	+ 8.0	+ 8.0
Samui	+ 27.25	- 5.00	+ 20.0	+ 20.0	+ 20.0
Shakung	+ 15.15	- 0.88	+ 14.4	+ 14.4	+ 14.4

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S.S.	Tons	From Hong-kong (about)	Destination
MIRZAPUR	6,715	7th Aug. noon	S'pore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
DEWANA	8,092	9th Aug. noon	M'les, London & Antwerp
SICILIA	6,813	22nd Aug.	S'pore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
MAINTUA	10,902	23rd Aug.	M'les, London & Antwerp
NAGOYA	6,854	30th Aug.	M'les, London & Antwerp
SARDINIA	6,684	4th Sept.	S'pore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
KALYAN	9,118	6th Sept.	M'les, London & Antwerp
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,430	20th Sept.	M'les, London & Antwerp
SOUDAN	6,696	2nd Oct.	S'pore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
KASHMIR	8,963	4th Oct.	M'les, London & Antwerp
MOREA	10,911	18th Oct.	S'pore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
SICILIA	6,813	29th Oct.	M'les, London & Antwerp
KASHGAR	8,840	1st Nov.	S'pore, Pang, C'bo & B'bay
MAINTUA	10,941	15th Nov.	M'les, London & Antwerp
KARNATA	9,098	29th Nov.	M'les, London & Antwerp
MAINTUA	10,902	13th Dec.	M'les, London & Antwerp

**BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS (South)**

PAKADA	6,949	20th Aug.	S'pore, Penang & Calcutta
FALWA	10,000	2nd Sept.	S'pore, Penang & Calcutta
TYLAWA	10,000	5th Sept.	S'pore, Penang & Calcutta

**EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South)**

EASTERN	4,000	27th Aug.	Manila, S'kan, Thursday Is.
ARAFURA	6,000	1st Oct.	Townsville, B'hane, Sydney
ST. ALBANS	4,500	29th Oct.	& Melbourne

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**SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN.**

SARDINIA	6,684	8th Aug.	Shanghai & Kobe
KALYAN	9,118	8th Aug.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
TALMA	10,000	13th Aug.	Moji & Kobe
TYLAWA	10,000	16th Aug.	Moji & Kobe
KAISAR-I-HIND	11,430	22nd Aug.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
PE-HAWAR	7,934	30th Aug.	Shanghai & Yokohama
TAIREA	8,500	31st Aug.	Moji & Kobe

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PENDROKESHIRE	5th Aug.	GLENBEG	21st Aug.
GLENIFFER	20th Aug.	London, Rotterdam & H'burg	
GLENOGLE	3rd Sept.	GLENIFFER	28th Sept.
		London, Rotterdam & H'burg	

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S.S. OLDEKERK	from Hongkong	13th Aug.
S.S. BORTON	from Hongkong	Middle of Sept.

**OUTWARD BOUND.**

S.S. BOEROE	Due Hongkong	26th Aug.
S.S. OOSTERK	Due Hongkong	23rd Sept.

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KAGA MARU ... Friday, 26th Sept.

MARSEILLES, LONDON &amp; ANTWERP via Singapore &amp; Ports.

HAKUSAN MARU ... Wednesday, 13th Aug. at 11 a.m.

KITANO MARU ... Wednesday, 27th Aug. at 11 a.m.

HAMBURG via LONDON &amp; ROTTERDAM &amp; Ports.

MITO MARU ... End of Sept.

LIVERPOOL via MARSEILLES &amp; VALENCIA.

TSURUGA MARU ... Monday, 8th Sept.

SYDNEY &amp; MELBOURNE via Manila &amp; Ports.

MISHIMA MARU ... Sunday, 20th Aug at 11 a.m.

TANGO MARU ... Wednesday, 17th Sept.

NEW YORK and/or BOSTON via PANAMA.

TAKETOYO MARU ... Tuesday, 5th Aug.

BUENOS AIRES via Singapore, Durban &amp; Cape Town.

KAMAKURA MARU ... Thursday, 28th Aug.

BOMBAY via Singapore &amp; Colombo.

NAGATO MARU ... Sunday, 10th Aug.

AKI MARU ... Thursday, 28th Aug.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang &amp; Rangoon.

MALACCA MARU ... Thursday, 7th Aug.

HAKODATE MARU ... Monday, 18th Aug.

NAGASAKI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA.

TANGO MARU ... Thursday, 14th Aug.

SHANGHAI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA.

SADO MARU ... Monday, 11th Aug.

KAMO MARU ... Wednesday, 13th Aug.

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MANILA ... Salsang	Mon.	4th Aug. at 5 p.m.
HAIPHONG via Hoihow Leesang	Tues.	5th Aug. at 7 a.m.
CHIEFOO via Swatow, Takasang	Tues.	5th Aug. at 10 a.m.
STRAITS & Calcutta ... Fooksang	Wed.	6th Aug. at 3 p.m.
T'AO via S'ow & S'hai Tingsang	Wed.	6th Aug. at 10 a.m.
MANILA ... Cheongsang	Sat.	9th Aug. at 11 a.m.
TIENSIN ... Cheongsang	Sat.	9th Aug. at noon
HAIPHONG via Hoihow Leesang	Sun.	10th Aug. at 7 a.m.
SHANGHAI via Swatow Chakasang	Thurs.	14th Aug. at 10 a.m.
KOBE ... Kutsang	Fri.	15th Aug. at 7 a.m.
SANDAKAN ... Hunsang	Sat.	16th Aug. at 10 a.m.
STRAITS & Calcutta ... Laisang	Wed.	23th Aug. at 3 p.m.

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Haining ... W. C. Passmore	FRI.	8th Aug. at 5 p.m.
Haifong ... Ellis Walker	TUES.	12th Aug. at 3 p.m.

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PAUL LECAT	31st July.	1st Sept.	14th Sept.
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signed on or before the 15th  
prox. or they will not be re-  
cognized.

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him smile—  
"We had too little time together,  
Love,  
And so I have come back."  
— I held him close;  
The inviolate night looked on us  
from above.

And sheltered us in darkness  
and repose.  
I feared to break the silence, lest  
the spell  
Of that great happiness were  
broken too.  
We neither spoke, there was no  
need to tell.  
In language what we held so  
wholly true—  
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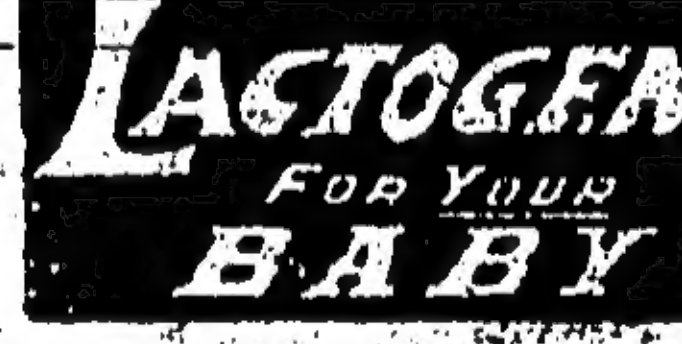
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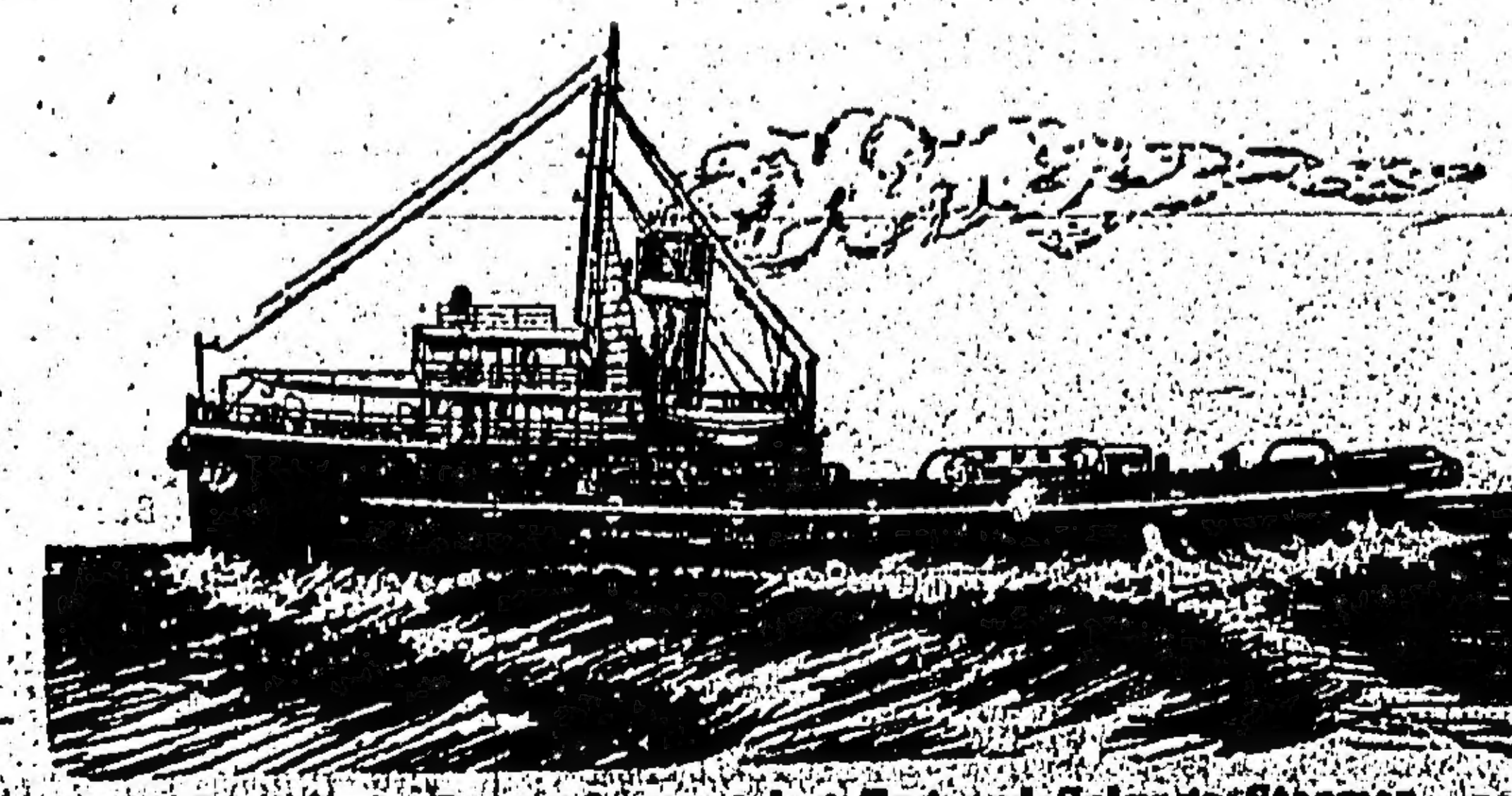
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**CAMERA NEWS**

**NEW BANK BUILDING.**—The Yokohama Specie Bank at Shanghai threw open the doors of their new building for the first time last week. The magnificent building was designed by Messrs. Palmier and Turner, and is the work of Messrs. Trollope and Colls, contractors. The main hall of the bank is seen here, with its handsome pillars of white marble, veined in black. The new bank premises are situated on the Bund, close to the corner of Jinkee Road.



**SWIMMING CAP.**—This man is wearing the newest swimming cap, invented by A. G. Johnson of Washington, designed to keep water out of his eyes, ears and nose.



**SHANGHAI GODOWN FIRE.**—On the evening of July 14th at 9.30 a fire broke out at the Robert Dollar Godown on the Pootung shore. The fire was most difficult to fight and dangerous to cope with on account of the quantities of red and yellow phosphorus stored in the godown, as well as large quantities of acetic and sulphuric acids, caustic soda and calcium carbide. The Shanghai Brigade, with their river float, did most valuable work in relieving the wharf hands and preventing the fire from spreading to the store of chlorate of potash which was in an adjoining godown.



**VERSATILE CHILD.**—Marie Louise Bobb, just 5, of New Orleans, called the "most perfect child in the south," is a versatile little maiden. She has been taking music lessons for a year and already plays Mozart, Schubert, Heller and Beethoven composition. She is an excellent swimmer, too.



**PORTUGUESE AIRMAN IN SHANGHAI.**—The three Portuguese flyers who made the trip from Lisbon to Macao, in spite of bad weather and two serious break-downs, arrived in Shanghai recently, and were received by the Portuguese Consul-General and other prominent members of the Portuguese community. The above picture shows Major Sarmiento Beires, pilot, at the left, with Mr. A. Casanova, Consul General, at his side, then Major Britto Paes, squadron leader. Mr. Chun Bing-him, of the Nanyang Tobacco Co., stands between Major Paes and Lieut. Gouveia (second from right), mechanic on the journey.



**APPRECIATIVE SCROLL.**—A Chinese woman, named Wong Waung-ze, who gave information to the Shanghai Municipal Police which led to the conviction of certain persons who committed a murder in Wayside, has been presented with the above scroll of appreciation by the Municipal Police for her public-spirited action.



## LONDON IDEALS.

## St. Paul's Surroundings.

A correspondent has been complaining in *The Times* of the situation of St. Paul's. "St. Paul's," he writes, "is perhaps the worst set monument in Europe." And he goes on to lament that whereas abroad "space and approach" would be contrived for such a building, "the most beautiful dome in the world has the appearance of standing pinioned with strained neck to breathe the purer air and seek dissociation from its sordid surroundings."

St. Paul's is not the only one of our historic London monuments about which such words may be used, and perhaps some of our visitors from different parts of the Empire this year are being tempted to use them. Others might be glad to discover more of the London which, however shabby he found it in some of his moods, supplied an enchanted background to the stories of Charles Dickens. They will feel that old cities should be cleaned as gingerly as old frescoes. "Space and approach" are rather dangerous ideals.

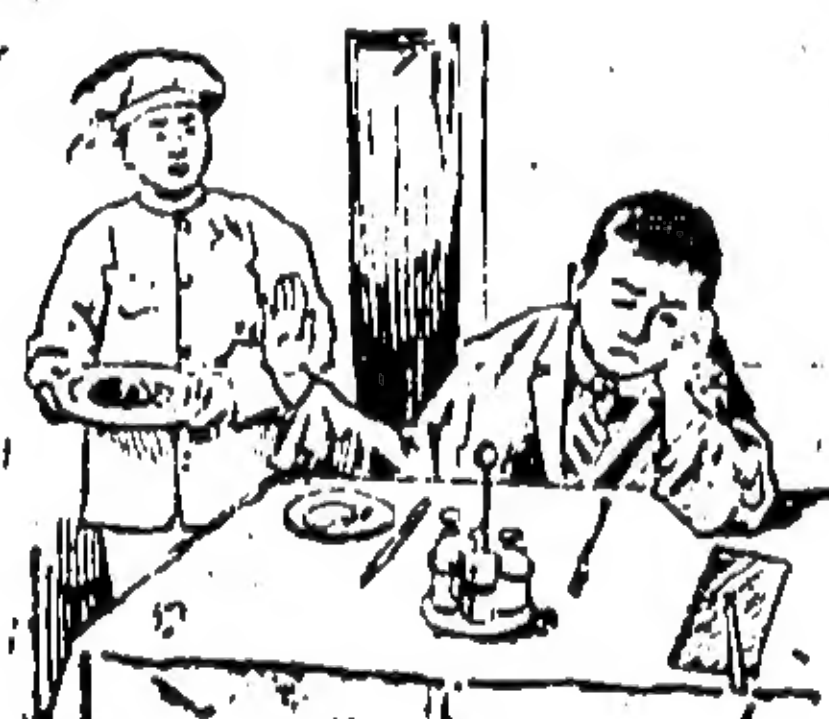
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## OXFORD ACCENT.

## John Galsworthy on "Expression."

Mr. John Galsworthy last month delivered an address to the members of the English Association, at Bedford College, on "Expression." He hazarded a prefatory axiom about expression as a whole: The soul of good expression is an 'in-expectation,' which keeps to the mark of meaning and does not betray truth.

Fresh angles, new lights; but neither at the expense of significance nor the detriment of verity, never, in fact, just for the sake of being 'unexpected.' Forthwith, throughout this discourse, said Mr. Galsworthy, they would remember that pot conviction.

Following first the incorrigible bent of a novelist, he asked to be allowed to proffer a speculation or two on the connection between expression and character-drawing. Hardly any figures in prose fiction seemed to survive the rust of time unless furnished by happy extravagance, saved by a tinge of irony, or inhabited by what one might call "familiar spirit." We all understood happy extravagance, but "familiar spirit" was a more mysterious affair. The characters—in fiction—who were inhabited by "familiar spirit" were such as convinced the reader that he might meet and recognize them walking the everyday world.

"Familiar spirit" might inhabit a whole book, and ensure its permanence, although that book contained no characters which remained in the mind: "Cranford," "The Golden Age," "The Purple Land" occurred to him as instances.

Nowadays expression seemed rather to be taking the bit between its teeth and galloping on the road. Ours was an experimental period. New doctrines obtained. It had become, for instance, something of a fashion to feel that under the covering influence of emotional stress we were all alike. Here, they said, differed little from here when both were in pursuit of heroines. Villains had much in common, and were readily noted in the lobby. Passion, in sum, was a leveller. Hence the novelists' itch to express character without rise or fall in blood pressure.

Expression, whether of laws, psychology, episode, or feeling, should be humane, and refrain from torturing the wits of mankind. The incorporation of slang words into the language was, in reason, no reason, no bad thing. Slang was at least vigorous and apt. He was waiting to see the expression "runty-too" canonized by Dean Inge, and "gets my goat" academized by Professor Saintsbury. (Laughter.) And dared we condemn cockney—a lingo whose waters in Southern England seemed fast flooding in over the dykes of the so-called Oxford accent, and such other rural dialects as were left.

In conclusion, Mr. Galsworthy said: "I like to regard the English language as still in the making, capable of new twists and bold captures; yet I think our attitude towards it should have more reverence; that we should love our mother tongue as we love our country, and try to express ourselves with vigour, dignity, and grace. And so I end with an affirmation of belief in the vitality, variety, the supple strength and subtle tones of our rich and ancient language; and of a hope that we may come to use it, speaking and writing, throughout our island better than it has ever yet been used, with a fuller sense of its music and expressive power. (Applause.)"

## TO THE ARCTIC.

## Departure of Oxford Expedition.

The Oxford University Expedition has left the Tyne bound for Spitzbergen and North Eastland, where, under Mr. George Binney, leader, it is hoped to accomplish valuable research and survey work. The Polarbjorn was given a rousing send-off by ships lying in the river, and as she passed the bar at North Shields trawlers lying at the Fish Quay greeted her with resounding blasts on their sirens.

The Polarbjorn was to have left earlier, but was delayed by the non arrival of a sloop, to be piloted by Flying Officer Groves, but it was incorrectly reported that this craft has been loaned by the Air Ministry. As previously stated, the main object of the expedition is survey work, and an attempt to reach "furthest North" in actual sea navigation will only be made as a secondary consideration.

## MILADY'S FAN.

## Of Ancient Origin.

For nearly 3,000 years woman has enslaved man from behind her deftly handled fan. Customs travel in cycles; and we are back now at the point from which fans began. For just as the debutante of to-day plays with an ostrich feather encased in carved ivory, so in the year 1000 B.C. she toyed with a peacock's feather mounted in a gold handle.

China claims to have originated the fan, the legend being that the daughter of a mandarin, greatly daring, owing to the great heat, removed her mask to fan her face, her action being quickly copied by the ladies of the Court. From this simple origin the fan quickly grew into a thing of exceeding beauty.

Grandmamma, sharply tapping her daughter's shoulders with her fan as a reminder to hold herself erect, was merely following the methods of the 17th century, when men carried enormous fans, and did not hesitate to use them as a means of admonishing their daughters.

Those who deplore the decadence of the modern girl as she gazes into her purse-mirror, would do well to remember that as far back as the 15th century women carried feather fans in which mirrors were cunningly concealed; they were hidden within the handle.

In these days, there is little time for repose; but Addison, in his delightful satire on fans, suggested that can possibly enter into that "a lady of tolerable genius ought to be able to give her fan all the graces that can possibly enter into that modish little machine." Ex.

## EXPLORER'S GIFT.

## Relics Of Unknown Race.

Mr. Mitchell-Hedges, the explorer and deep-sea research expert will place his valuable collection of Chucunaque specimens in the hands of the British Museum authorities.

He brought back the curious last year from an unknown race of Central American Indians, which he and Lady Richmond Brown discovered, and the museum authorities will choose examples of each set of specimens for the national museum.

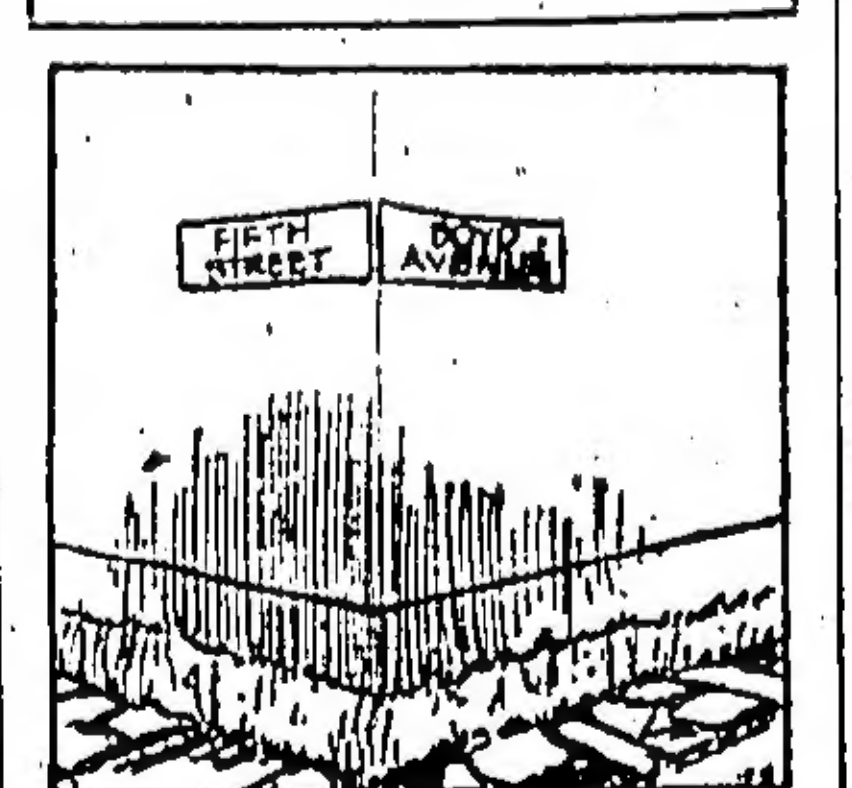
The entire collection, which is said to have a value of about £150,000, consists of thousands of pieces.

It includes wonderful examples of carving done by charring and by the use of shark and animal teeth; black palm bows and arrows; spears with points barbed like fish hooks (which were once steeped in virulent poison); over 800 pieces of picture writing on cloth; over 900 barbaric necklaces; 100 of the Chucunaque gods; and some hundreds of examples of crude pottery.

There is also included the entire State regalia of the chief witch doctor.

Some of the most valuable specimens are human heads, which have been reduced to model size—the hair being reduced in proportion by a process absolutely unknown to modern science.

## TEASERS



The drawing shows a typical corner sign. It will be noted that the section is called a "teaser." The other is distinguished as an "average." Take plenty of time for this "teaser," and see how large a list of names you can form—names that might be used as titles instead of "street." For example, "Boyd avenue" might be "Boyd road," or—but that is your problem. Think up every possible title that you have ever heard applied to a street, and write it down. See how large a list you can compile. Then look for your neighbor's "checkup" and find your "rating."

Try this "teaser" on your friends or work it as a game of competition to see who can write out the longest list.

Saturday's Teaser  
Nine words may be formed from the letters E, L, I, S, T and U. They are: Luster, lustre, luster, luster, ruler, rustle, rustle, ruler. To form nine is exceptional; eight very good; four, four, average; three, fair; two, poor.

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## CARS IN STRIKES.

## Giving of Lifts.

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endorse, is the ruinous liability which is incurred by the owner if any passenger chooses to take legal proceedings is damaged by accident, a liability sometimes extended by the Law Courts to many thousands of pounds. A casual passenger has become a terror to motor-car owners. Formerly I always gave a lift to school-children. Now I dare not do so."

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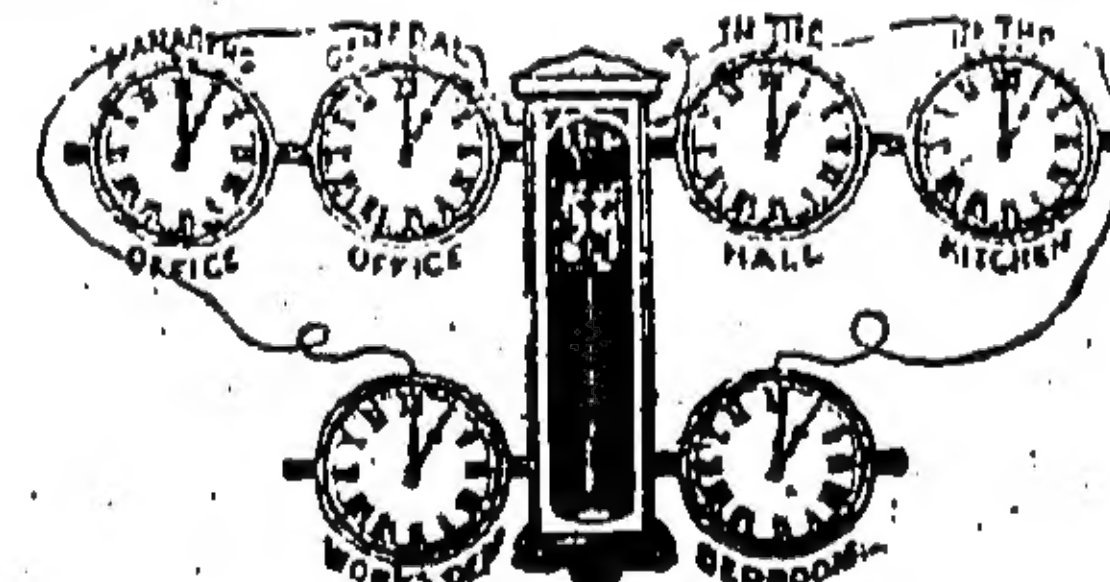
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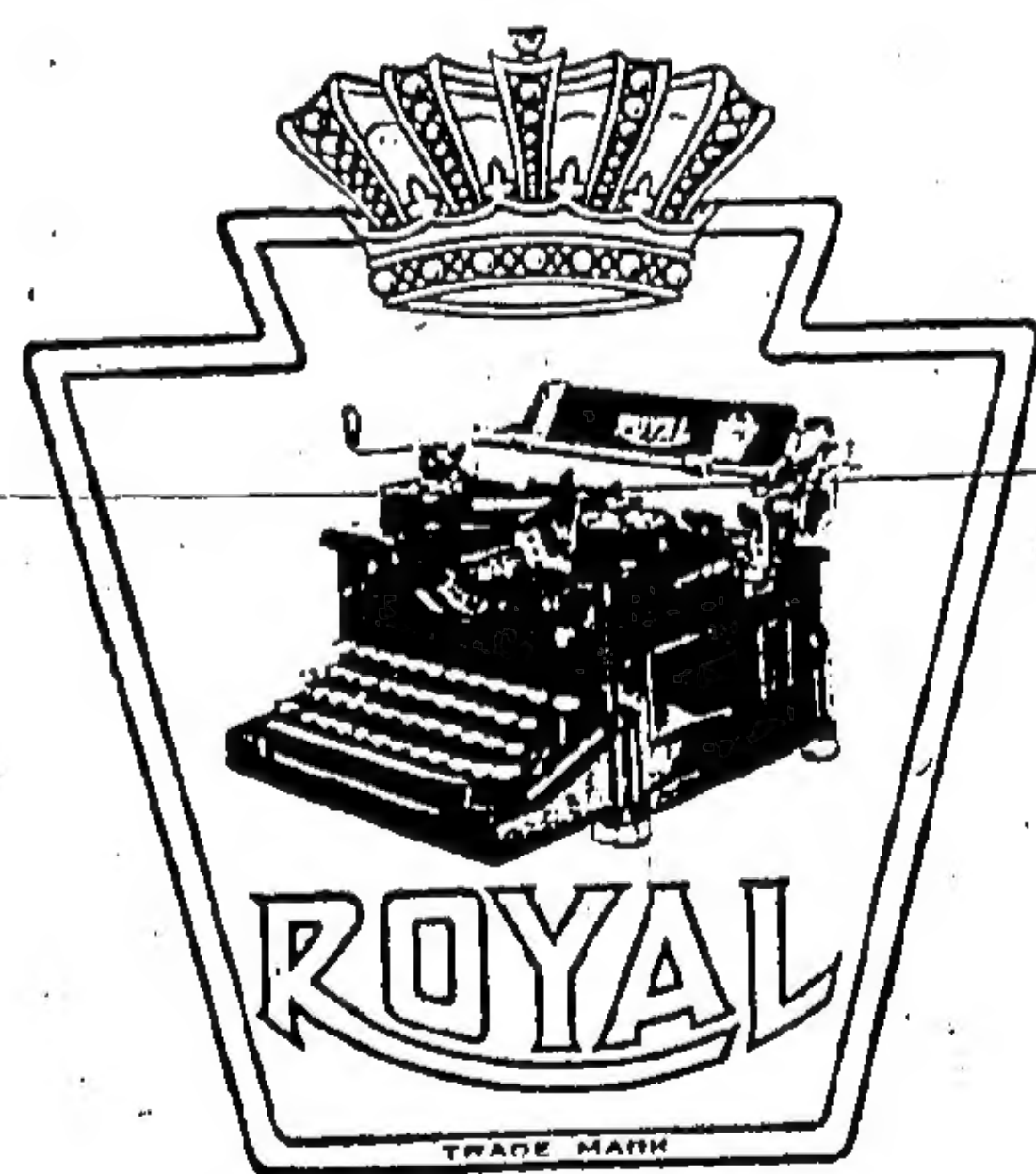
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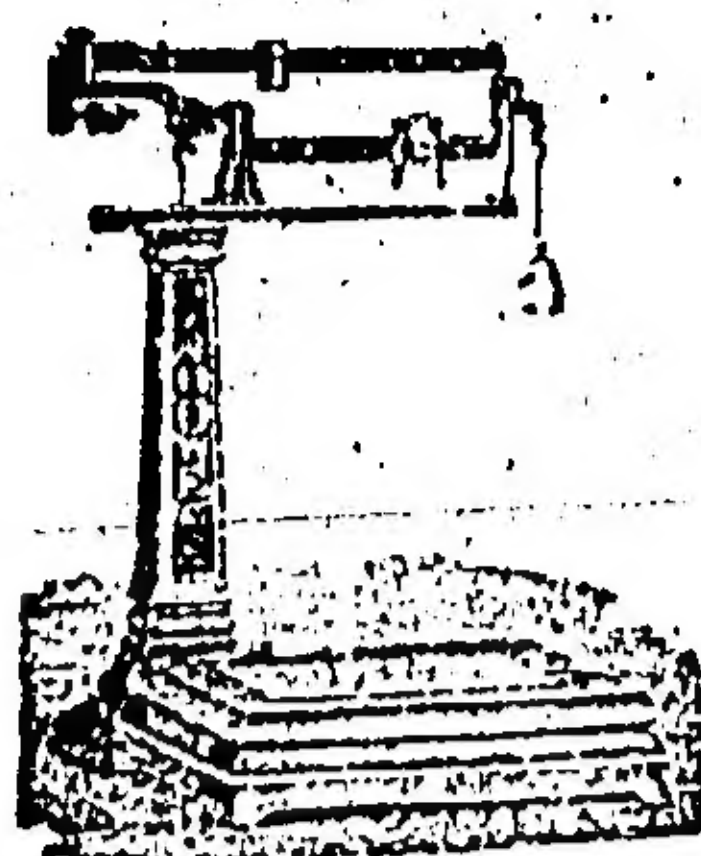
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### THE IRISH FAILURE.

A sentence in one of the Ruter messages on Ireland to-day refers to the "dangerous resurgence of the Republican movement." This revolt from the accepted administration of the Irish Free State has been apparent to observers of the country for some months past, and the pity of it is that the whole trouble is due to the failure of the Treaty with Britain to bring all that was expected of it. The Republican element in Ireland was an inevitable problem, but with the majority of the people in the South prepared to give Dominion rule a trial and abide loyally by the Treaty so long as all parties honoured it, there was good reason to hope that the age-old trouble was to be set at rest. That these expectations have been falsified will be realised with profound sorrow all over the Empire, and Irishmen themselves, unless of the extremist persuasion, must grieve over the black prospect ahead. It is obvious that when the leaders of the different factions are unable to agree despite all the facilities placed at their disposal, and the efforts of the Prime Minister and others of the Cabinet, the differences are of a concrete kind, and practically insurmountable without further strife, and, though Providence forbid, bloodshed. Under the circumstances, it appears almost futile for the Government at Westminster to proceed with legislation which is not likely to satisfy either the North or the South.

It is not the purpose of these comments to discuss the rights and wrongs of Erin's unrest. Both sides are responsible for much of the friction that exists. Were Ulsterman and Southerner to meet intent on a settlement, and prepared to give way on some points, there would be every prospect of an early and permanent settlement, at least between the two administrations. They have not, and been unable to agree. The immediate cause of friction is the boundary question, but the inability to settle that matter is based on the antagonism of long, long years.

For the present one can only wait and see what other trouble is to follow. As long as the religious differences prevail, there is bound to be trouble of some kind or other; not that such cannot be adjusted whenever the mutual conciliatory spirit is present. Whatever happens now, however, there is one thing to be said for the British Government, to which the whole world will have to agree—it has done its best.

### Changing Commodores.

There will be no hesitation in saying, by very general regret amongst the community that Commodore Grace is to leave us at the end of the present year. During the period of his service here, he has become a great favourite in social life, in naval circles and in the world of sport. Everyone who has been brought into contact with Commodore Grace has soon learned that he is a charming personality and a man of high character and thoroughgoingness. Above all, he knows nothing of affectation or self-glorification. He will be particularly missed in tennis circles, for in this realm he has figured prominently and shown a fine example to many a younger man. And what can be said of him can also be recorded of his charming wife and daughters, all of whom have made many friends in the Colony. Whilst regretting that the exigencies of the service call him elsewhere, we can count ourselves fortunate in having as his successor Captain Stirling, who has a fine record to his credit. The new Commodore is no stranger to the East, of which he must have gained as well as pleasant memories, for in the Boxer rising he was severely wounded and invalided home. He has also done splendid service in the Great War, being in command of the destroyer flotilla during the Battle of Jutland and being decorated for his able work.

### Our Gael.

Happily, not many of us know much of the inside of our Gael from personal experience, and it is only when the annual report of the Prison Department is issued that we get an insight into some of the aspects of life there. It may interest the public, therefore, to know that the daily average of prisoners last year was 861, which is a higher figure than for any of the past ten years, and that the total number of "convicts" enjoying the hospitality of His Majesty's last year came to 294, which is also a record for the past decade. The amount of money spent by the Gael last year was well over \$324,000, as against an income of \$117,000. The average cost of maintenance per prisoner for the year was \$240.88, as contrasted with the sum of \$62.58 per prisoner in 1914, so that even in prisons the cost of living is rising very materially. There is quite a deal of industrial labour done in our prisons, including net-making, tailoring, rattan-work, tin-smithing, shoe-making, printing, bookbinding and photography.

### SHARE MARKET.

#### LONDON QUOTATIONS.

Messrs. G. P. and H. A. Lamport advise us that they are in receipt of the following cable quotations from their London Agents this morning:—  
Shell Transport.—81/6 buyers; 84/- sellers.  
Mexican Eagle.—14/4½ buyers; 15/4½ sellers.  
Anglo-Persians.—59/3 buyers; 62/6 sellers.  
Trench.—43/- buyers.

#### SHANGHAI QUOTATIONS.

Messrs. Ellis and Co. have kindly supplied us with the following cable quotations of Shanghai stocks from their Shanghai office:—  
Langkate (comb).—Tls. 17. buyers.  
Ewos.—Tls. 10½, buyers.  
Shanghai Docks.—Tls. 91. buyers.  
New Engineering.—Tls. 6¼, buyers.  
Orientals.—Tls. 3.50, buyers.  
Shanghai Cotton.—Tls. 56. buyers.

### DAY BY DAY.

AN EVIL-SPEAKER DIFFERS FROM AN EVIL-DOER ONLY IN THE WANT OF OPPORTUNITY.—*Quintilian.*

To-day is the tenth anniversary of the commencement of the Great War.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harold Dollar arrived here by the s.s. President Garfield to-day.

An armed robbery in which a Chinese girl was robbed of a pair of bangles has been reported as occurring in Saiwanho on Saturday afternoon.

A P. W. D. coolie was injured by being knocked down by a motor car belonging to the Hongkong Hotel, at Stubbs Road yesterday. He was taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

The *China Express* and *Telegraph*, in reporting the death of Mrs. Arthur Severn, a cousin of Ruskin, states that she was the mother of Sir Claud Severn, Colonial Secretary of Hongkong. This is not correct. Sir Claud's father was the late Mr. Walter Severn.

David Bolknap Wickersham, 43, who is charged with issuing false statements in regard to the alleged existence of an estate in South Siam, in his capacity as President and Director of the American Asiatic Commercial Company, Limited, appeared before the Magistrate to-day and was again remanded.

There arrived in the Colony yesterday by the s.s. Sarpodon, Capt. and Mrs. L. C. H. Bellamy. Capt. Bellamy, M. C., is taking up the position of secretary and general manager of the Hongkong Tramways, Ltd., filling the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. W. E. Roberts, who is leaving this month to take up an appointment in London. He is a son of the late general manager of the Liverpool Corporation Tramways. Capt. Bellamy has relinquished the management of the St. Helens Tramways to take up the Hongkong appointment.

### V.R.C. FETE.

#### RECORDS BROKEN ON SATURDAY.

Swimming in the four lengths handicap at the V.R.C. Fete on Saturday evening, D. Lyon twice beat the record for the bath which stood at 60 seconds. In his heat he was defeated with D. Laing for first place in 59.3/5th seconds, and in the final he beat B. Rasmussen by a foot in the wonderful time of 58.3/5th seconds. It will be a long time before such a magnificent race will be seen again; Rasmussen put up a great struggle.

Another interesting feature of the evening's entertainment was the Diving for Objects competition. E. G. Jordan recovered no fewer than eleven before he found it necessary to come to the surface. C. Mackenzie was second in this event, with eight, and he won the diving with 81 points to Duck's 79. Miss Blunsdon swam very well to win the three lengths handicap from scratch.

At the conclusion dancing was indulged in to the strains of the "Quavors" Jazz Band.

The following were the results: Four Lengths Handicap (Members). 1st Heat:—(1) B. Rasmussen; (2) G. Ruzavet.

2nd Heat:—D. Lyon, D. Laing dead heat first; Lyon's time being 59.3/5 seconds, a record for the bath.

Three Lengths Handicap. (Boys):—(1) J. Pearne, (2) A. Bliss.

Three Lengths Handicap. (Girls):—(1) Miss P. Hunt, (2) Miss D. Hunt.

Diving for Plates (Members):—(1) E. G. Jordan (11), (2) C. Mackenzie (8). At the first attempt Mackenzie, Ruzavet and Montalto with 7 plates each tied for second.

Three Lengths Handicap (Ladies):—(1) Miss Blunsdon, (2) Miss George.

Four Lengths Handicap Final (Members):—(1) D. Lyon, (2) B. Rasmussen. Time 58.3/5 seconds. Won by one foot in record time.

Diving:—(1) G. Mackenzie (81), (2) N. W. Duck (79).  
Team Race:—Rasmussen's team.

### TWO-MINUTE TALKS A Daily Tonic By ROBERT POWER

#### TREES OF THE WOOD.

The wood is full of trees. Now know there are some, for their they are in the full glory of their fragrance fill the air. Pale and Spring livory. All shades of green, ghostly are the silvery anemones, from the bright emerald of the oak or "milkmaids" as the children foliage, to the deeper colour of the call them. Here and there are elm, and the dark, sombre hue of lichen-hued patches, where the primroses still lurk. There is music in the wood, for from sun-up to the blue sky towers the rise to sunset the birds' orchestra.

They are of all size and shapes. Up to the blue sky towers the rise to sunset the birds' orchestra. Sometimes without warning we hear a crashing in the wood and know that a great bough of the elm has fallen. In a clump are the sturdy oaks, rising smoothly from the moss-carpeted ground, and splitting into many smaller stems, and casting an umbrageous shade on the hottest day.

There too are the graceful frolic. Larches, the gloomy yew, the silver beeches so ladylike and lovely, the solitary ash, and the dark pines with their thin trunks. Beneath these the ground is brown, thick with myriads of pine needles which have fallen from self. In Autumn they are all the cones. As we walk amongst them the air is filled with a rich, son, while the leaves fall as the aromatical odour. On the other rising winds sing a requiem for, side of the wood is a little rest—the dead days of Summer.

Less river, and here are fringed the weeping willows, ombra of in appearance, fruits, and usefulness. With us the Spring of life must be succeeded by the heat of Summer, to give place in due course to Autumn days when the evidences of decay are seen. So too, at last, will come the Winter, when the leaves of life's business fall from the nerveless hands, and the Great Woodsman will decree our fall.

In the wood it is dim, but there are splashes of colour. The ferns wave their apple-green tendrils, while azure as the rain washed sky are the blue-bells which tremble in every whispering wind. The violets are well hidden, but we

### TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

Seeing itself in the shimmering enamel of a new car which Mr. H. H. Parry, a well-known auctioneer, of Chippenham and Calne, had left in a country road in Wiltshire, a game cock attacked its reflection with such fury that there was difficulty in driving it off. Repairs cost over £8, and the bill for the queer claim has just been settled by the insurance company.

By completing the trip from Southampton to Cherbourg in 3 hours 50 minutes, the Cunard liner *Mauretania* has made a record for the crossing. For 85 miles the liner, which is on a record-breaking trip after her recent overhaul, travelled at a speed of from 28 to 30 knots. The time for the Southampton-Cherbourg crossing is usually 6 hours. The *Mauretania* has beaten this by over two hours.

A dramatic story of how Holbein's famous picture, "The Duchess of Milan," was secured for the National Gallery was given by Sir Robert Witt at the annual meeting of the National Art Collections Fund at the Hotel Victoria recently. Forty thousand pounds was still needed when he received a telegram: "Will give forty thousand pounds." Fearing it was a practical joke, he asked for a banker's reference, and found that the £40,000 would be paid by the Bank of England. "The only condition was that the gift should be anonymous," he added. "I can only tell you this, the gift was made by a woman who was a lover of art, and that that gift represented one-third of her total fortune."

Nowadays we send poison and aeroplanes against caterpillars and other enemies of agriculture. Other times other methods. Records of the Middle Ages provide numerous examples of legal or ecclesiastical proceedings being taken against the insects, and as late as 1516 an episcopal edict was published announcing: "We grant the request of the inhabitants of Villenoo, and warn the caterpillars to retire within six days, in default of which we declare them accursed and excommunicated." With exemplary fairness, an advocate was sometimes appointed on behalf of the insects to plead their cause against that of the farmers before sentence was pronounced.

Discussing Mr. "Death-ray" Grindell Mathews in the House of Commons last month, Mr. Pringle called upon Mr. Leach, the Under Secretary for Air, to define the word "phonomenon" of which he had made rather free use, says a contemporary. Mr. Leach was wisely silent. Sam Weller, would

### COUNTY CRICKET CHAMPIONSHIP.

AS AT 2ND. AUGUST 1924.

County.	Possible points.	Points obtained.	Percent.
Middlesex	70	54	77.14
Yorkshire	80	58	72.50
Lancashire	100	68	68.00
Surrey	70	45	64.29
Kent	90	52	57.77
Notts	70	40	57.14
Warwickshire	65	34	52.31
Somerset	90	47	52.22
Gloucestershire	90	43	47.77
Sussex	90	42	46.66
Leicestershire	85	36	42.35
Hampshire	90	31	34.44
Gloucestershire	85	27	31.76
Essex	85	25	29.41
Worcestershire	85	20	23.53
Northants	55	12	21.82
Derbyshire	80	9	11.25

### BAND CONCERT.

#### THIS EVENING'S PROGRAMME.

The fortnightly band concert is due to take place this evening in Statue Square, when the band of the East Surrey Regiment will render a fine programme of music. The concert will begin at 5 o'clock and last until 7 p.m., and there will be plenty of seating accommodation provided.

The programme will be as follows:—

- 1.—Quick March—The Midway.
- 2.—Overture—The Bronze Horse.
- 3.—Selection—Jolanthe, Sullivan.
- 4.—Idylle—Trumbull, Von Bloh.
- 5.—Suite of Spanish Dances—Moszkowski.
- 6.—Serenade—"Quand tu chantes"—Gounod.
- 7.—The Grasshopper—Dance—Bucalossi.
- 8.—Selection—Half-past-eight—Rubens.
- 9.—Fox-trot—Yankee Doodle Blues.

probably have defined it as "something that happened when it didn't ought to," a definition which would apparently fit Mr. Grindell Mathews' alleged invention. According to Mr. Leach it was not at all clear that Mr. Grindell Mathews' "phenomena" were produced by the "death ray" or by something else, and as this gentleman has formerly put forward schemes for which extravagant claims were made, it is hardly surprising that the Government refused to bite. Commander Kenworthy suggested that it was Mr. Mathews who got £25,000 out of the Admiralty for an invention for directing vessels by wireless, and that the Admiralty subsequently found that it had been "sold a pup," but Mr. Leach refused to commit himself on this.



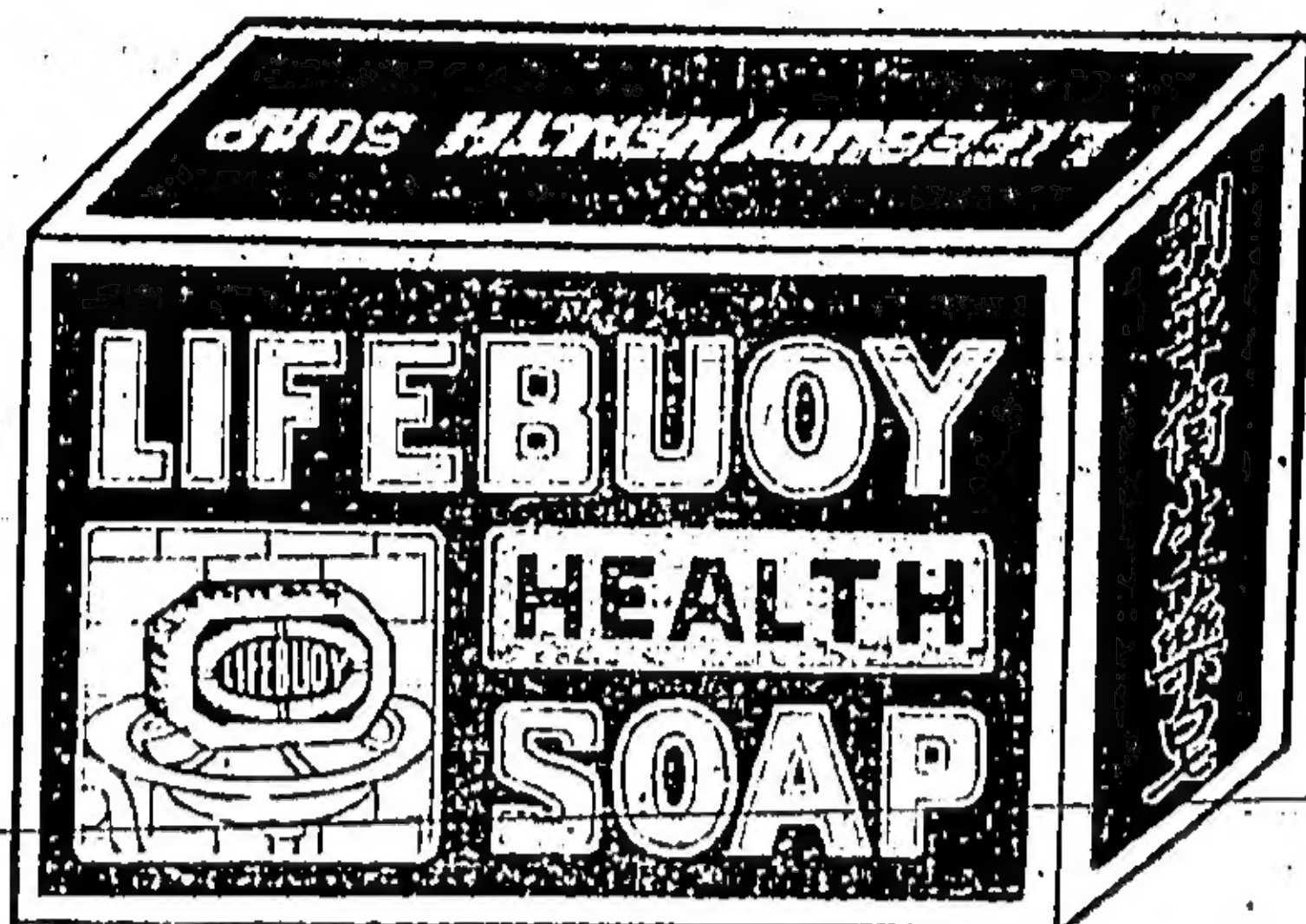
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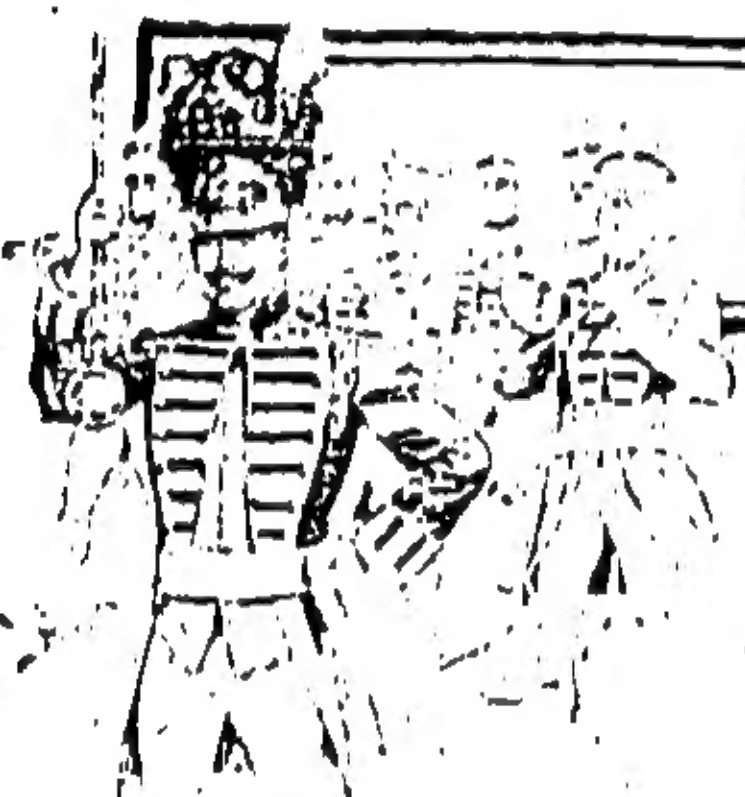
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## EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

### IRISH BOUNDARY DISPUTE.

London, Aug. 2.  
Mr. Cosgrave is on his way to London in response to Mr. Macdonald's invitation, while the Marquess of Londonderry, who is leader of the Ulster Senate, will deputize for Sir James Craig, who is incapacitated through illness, at vital discussions to-day on the boundary question. The Marquess of Londonderry, who is accompanied by the Ministers of Finance and Labour, interviewed Mr. Thomas yesterday. The prospect of an agreement issuing from the conversations is generally considered remote.

Mr. Cosgrave is likely to urge expeditious action on the part of the Imperial Government in consequence of the dangerous resurgence of the Republican movement due to impatience at the delayed settlement of the boundary arrangement.

The Ulster attitude is based on fears lest the boundary revision be not confined to mere rectification of political and religious anomalies along the border and strongly opposes the Free State contention that the Boundary Commission should have wide powers of delimitation which, in their extreme application, mean transfer of whole tracts of territory.

Mr. Cosgrave arrived and immediately went to Downing Street, where he conferred with Mr. Thomas and Mr. Macdonald. The latter left ten minutes later to preside at the plenary session of the Inter-Allied Conference, which was attended by all the Dominion representatives. Mr. Thomas and Mr. Cosgrave continued the conversations at the Colonial Office.

The Marquess of Londonderry, acting Premier of North Ireland, and Colonel Spender, Secretary to the North Ireland Cabinet, have joined the conference of Mr. J. H. Thomas and Mr. W. T. Cosgrave at the Colonial Office. This is first time the Irish leaders have conferred since the abortive conference in April.

The Irish conference broke up without arranging a future meeting. The conferees were most secret, but it is believed they failed to agree. Consequently, the Government will proceed with legislation.—*Reuter.*

London, August 3.  
Mr. Cosgrave has returned to Ireland.

### THE LONDON CONFERENCE.

London, Aug. 2.

A communique states the conference has reached the decisions already telegraphed and adopted the report of the first Committee without discussion. The report of the third Committee was approved after minor emendations. Mr. Dalal represented the Dominions, Sir James Allen and Sir Edgar Walton being unavoidably absent. The jurists have hitherto not decided whether the decisions of the Reparation Commission shall be unanimous or by majority.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald has sent an invitation to the Germans expressing the hope that the German delegation would arrive in London at an early date. Appended to the communique are reports of the first and third jurists committee, the substance of which has already been cabled.

The plenary Inter-Allied Conference has reached agreement on all points. The terms of the invitation to Germany are now being considered.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald has sent the German Embassy an invitation for a German delegation to attend the Inter-Allied Conference.—*Reuter.*

London, August 3.

The most important sections in the report of the First Committee provide that if German default is reported under the Dawes scheme the matter will go before the Reparations Commission, with an American member added. If the Commission does not reach a unanimous decision any Commissioner may appeal within eight days to an arbitral tribunal consisting of an American president and two other independent and impartial men, whose decision will be final. Members of the tribunal will be nominated for five years by unanimous decision of the Reparations Commission, or, failing that, by the President of the World Court at the Hague.

There can be no questions of sanctions unless default is decided through this machinery, and once default is registered the Allies will confer as to the nature of the sanctions and method of effective applications. The service of the fifty million sterling loan to Germany is to enjoy absolute priority.

Berlin, August 3.

The German delegation is going to London on Monday, headed by Herr Marx, Herr Stresemann and Herr Luther, accompanied by representatives of Prussia and Bavaria and numerous experts.—*Reuter.*

The third committee recommends, among other things, that Germany be asked to accept a proposal for the establishment of a committee equally with the allies, the Germans to have the power to decide to be neutral in the event of a difference to ensure the observance of reparations deliveries and commercial contracts. It also provides the machinery to prevent defects in the working of the plan for German payments and the detection of fraud in deliveries through German financial managers. Provision is made that the Reparations Commission, plus the American member, shall have the right to make any necessary modifications in the Dawes scheme on the application of any interested government, and if the decision be not unanimous or be unacceptable to Germany, the matter will be referable to a court of arbitration as in the case of a German default. It is commonly expected that the German delegation will immediately raise the question of the occupation of the Ruhr and the retention of 4,000 French and Belgian railway men there.—*Reuter.*

Paris, August 3.

M. Herriot interviewed by the London correspondent of the *Petit Parisien* attributed the success of the London Conference.

## TYPHOID EPIDEMIC



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Copy of advertisement in the local newspapers:—

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primarily to Mr. Ramsay Macdonald who had shown himself a great statesman. The future would show that their decisions were taken not only in conformity with the interests of Great Britain but that they were likely to powerfully promote the cause of peace. The most complete cordiality prevailed throughout. They felt that peace was now possible and that it was now for Germany to show herself equally wise and to bring about the final re-establishment of peace in Europe.—*Reuter.*

### TYPHOID IN CUBA.

Havana, August 3.

A presidential decree orders compulsory inoculation against typhoid throughout Cuba.—*Reuter.*

### EDINBURGH RAILWAY DISASTER.

London, Aug. 2.

At an enquiry into the Edinburgh railway accident, the signalman admitted he lowered the signal too soon, thereby leading to the disaster.—*Reuter.*

Four persons were killed and 29 injured in the collision, which occurred at the Haymarket Station, Edinburgh, when a train to Port Edgar, on the Firth of Forth, ran into a stationary suburban train. Four carriages of this latter were telescoped.

### SOVIET REPRESENTATIVE RETURNS TO LONDON.

London, Aug. 2.

M. Rakovsky has returned to London and resumed negotiations.—*Reuter.*

### NOT RECALLED.

#### HANIHARA RETURNING TO TALK MATTERS OVER.

Tokyo, August 3.—Hanihara, the Japanese Minister to Washington, returned from the United States to-day. In an interview he declared that he had not been recalled, but was returning to discuss the situation with the government. He refused to discuss the immigration question until after he had made his official report to Shidehara, but expressed the hope that the coming election in the United States would change the attitude of Congress toward the question of Japanese exclusion. He did not believe the question would be settled quickly but was of the opinion that it might be taken up again after the American Presidential elections.—*Reuter.*

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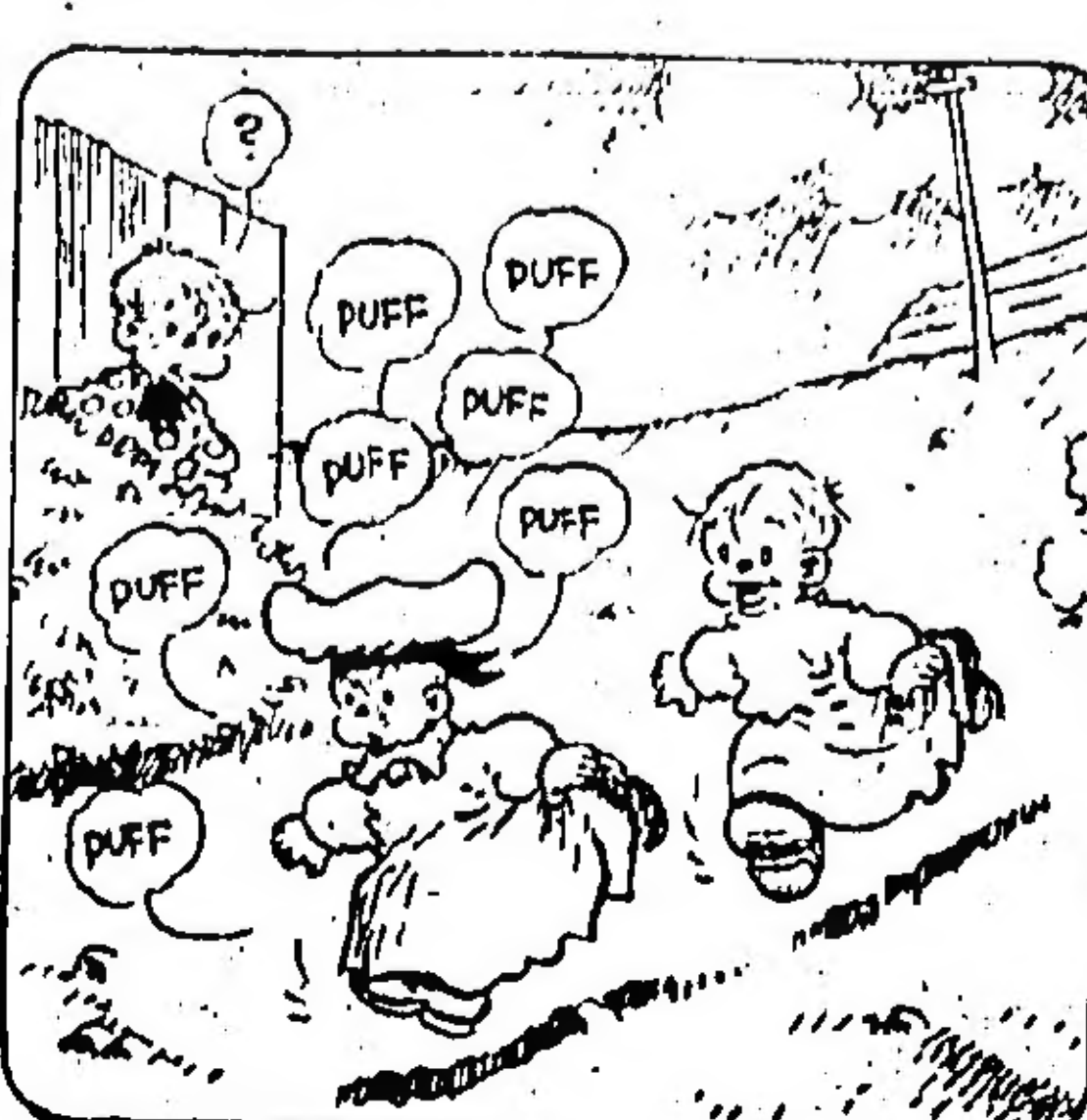
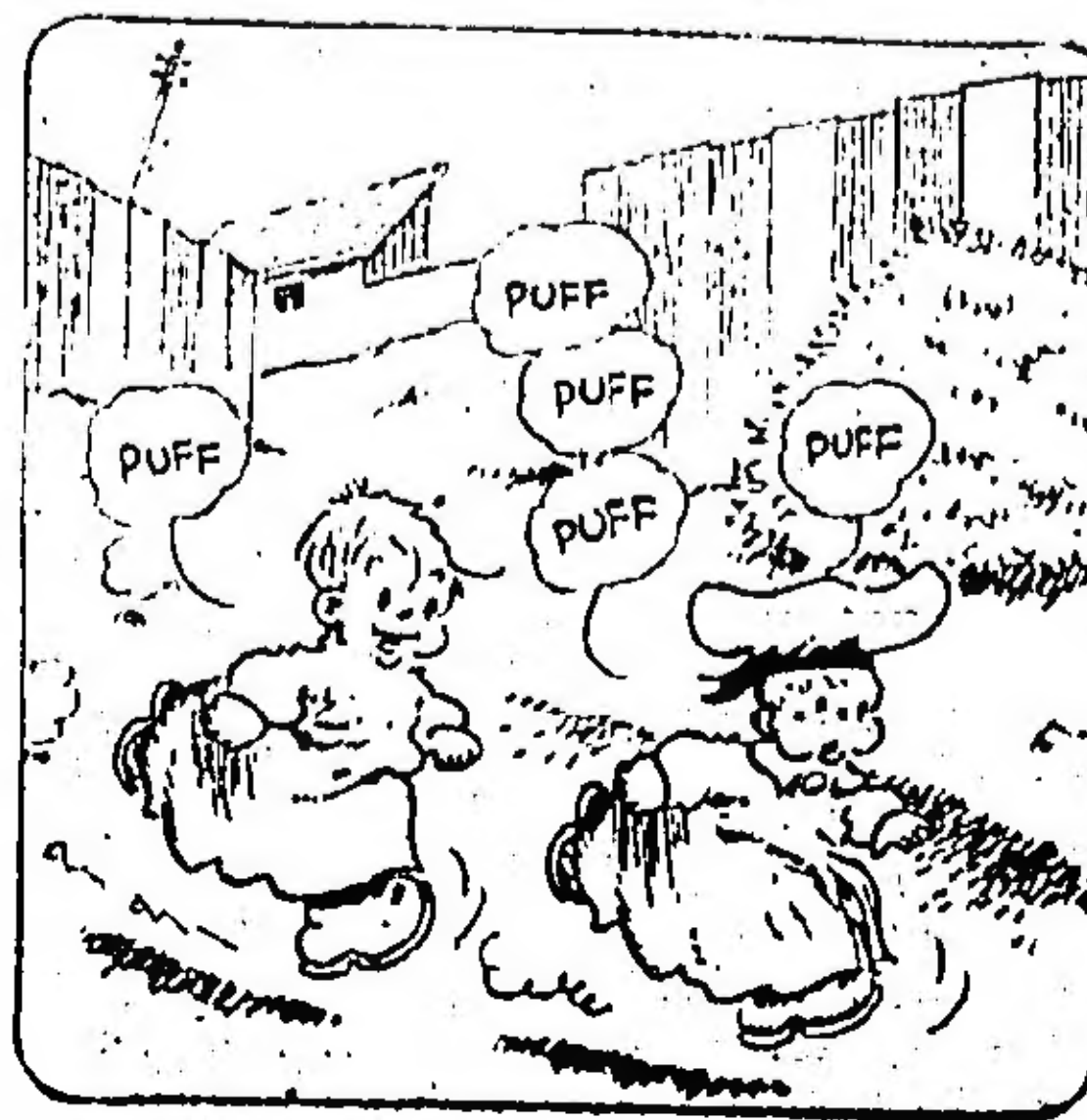
George Baylis, of Malpas, near Newport (Mon.), celebrated his 102nd birthday recently. He was present at the Chartist Riots, and has lived at Craigyeollog Farm for seventy years. One of his sons, John Baylis, who lives in Newport, is seventy-six years of age.

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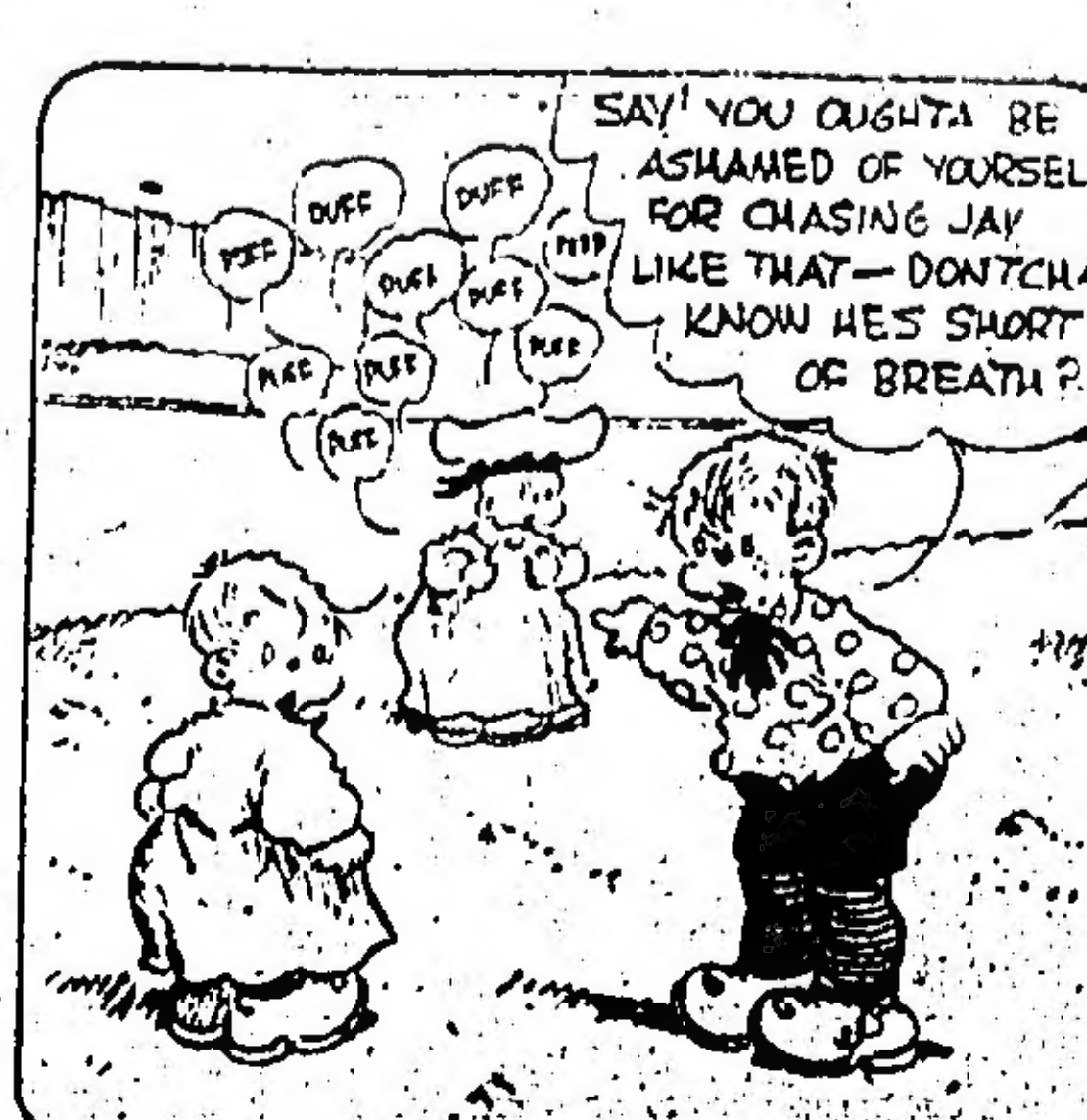


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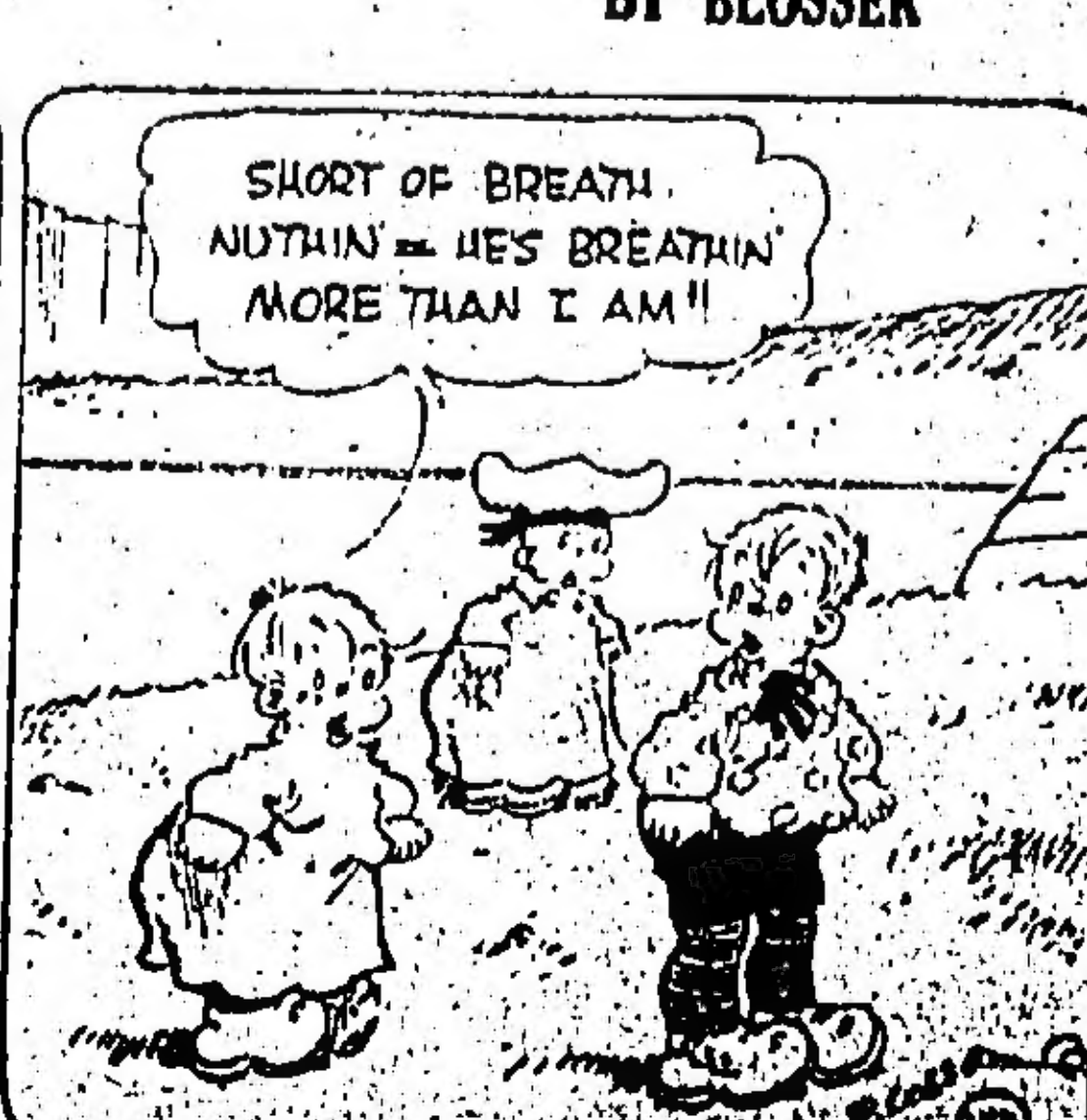
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TO LET.—No. 22, Des Voeux Road Central, the present P. & O. Building. Possession 1st January next. Apply to Singon & Co., Hing Lung Street.

TO LET.—Office Room in New Bank Building, possession 1st August. Apply to SANG KEE, 4a, Des Voeux Road Central, 2nd floor.

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FOR SALE.—Just received a shipment of Ladies Untrimmed Straw Hats (Cloche Styles) at moderate prices. Inspection invited. No. 4 Caine Road.

## LOST.

LOST OR STOLEN.—One Alsatian wolfhound. Last seen this morning (Monday) outside Beaconsfield Arcade. Litter of eight pups awaiting her return. Reward offered.—Apply, W. Ward, 8 Beaconsfield Arcade.

## NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

WE have THIS DAY removed our Offices to Bank of Canton Building (2nd floor).  
GEO. P. & H. A. LAMBERT,  
Stock & Share Brokers.  
4th August, 1924.

THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI  
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## DIVIDEND NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an INTERIM DIVIDEND has been declared in respect of the financial year ending on the 31st December 1924, and will be payable on MONDAY, the 18th August 1924, at SIXTY (60) Cents per share on the OLD SHARES, and as to FIFTEEN (15) Cents per share on the NEW SHARES, (1924 ISSUE) UPON WHICH \$5 PER SHARE WAS PAID UP ON THE 31st March, 1924. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 15th August 1924, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board, PERCY H. SUCKLING, Secretary. Hongkong, 24th July, 1924.

THE HONGKONG CANTON AND  
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## NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of ONE DOLLAR per share for the six months ending 30th June 1924, will be PAYABLE on WEDNESDAY 6th August on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Office. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Thursday 24th July to Wednesday 6th August (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors, JOHN ARNOLD, Secretary. Hongkong, 9th July 1924.

## DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.

Tickets will be issued for Round Trips during the months of July to September, from Hongkong to Foochow (Pagoda Anchorage) and return, calling at Swatow and Amoy on both the upward and downward Voyages, by the Company's new, fast, well appointed steamer "Hai-Ning" at the reduced rate of \$80, for the round Voyage, including Meals while the steamer is in port. Those Special Tickets will be available for return only by this steamer, either by the Voyage for which it is issued or by her following sailing from Foochow. Duration of stay at Foochow 48 hours. The Trip occupies 8 to 9 days and the steamer will leave Hongkong at 5 p.m. arriving at daylight on her return (Weather permitting). The Company's Steam Launch will convey passengers from Pagoda Anchorage to Foochow City, if required. For further particulars and dates of sailing Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., General Managers, Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd.

## NOTICE

THE KAILAN MINING ADMINISTRATION is prepared to lease at Chinwangtao attractive sites for erection of Summer Bungalows. Full particulars may be obtained from the Undersigned.  
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1 Des Voeux Road Central,  
Solicitors to the Executor.  
Dated the 29th day of July 1924.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF  
HONGKONG PROBATE  
JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS of ARTHUR RYLANDS LOWE of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong Chartered Accountant deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Court has by virtue of Section 53 of the Probates Ordinance 1897 (No. 2 of 1897) made an Order limiting the time for sending in claims to or against the above estate to the 31st day of August 1924.

Creditors and Claimants are hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned by the above date.

Dated this 28th day of July 1924  
DEACONS,  
Solicitors for the Executor,  
1 Des Voeux Road C.  
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## DIVIDEND NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Interim Dividend has been declared in respect of the financial year ending on the 31st December 1924, and will be paid on Friday the 29th August 1924 as to Forty cents (\$0.40) per Share on the old Shares (Fully paid), Thirty-three cents (\$0.33) per Share on Bonus Shares (Fully paid) Nos. 171,000 to 200,000, and Six Cents (\$0.06) per Share on the New Shares (1924 Issue) upon which \$2.50 per Share was paid up on the 15th March, 1924.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 8th to 29th August (both days inclusive).

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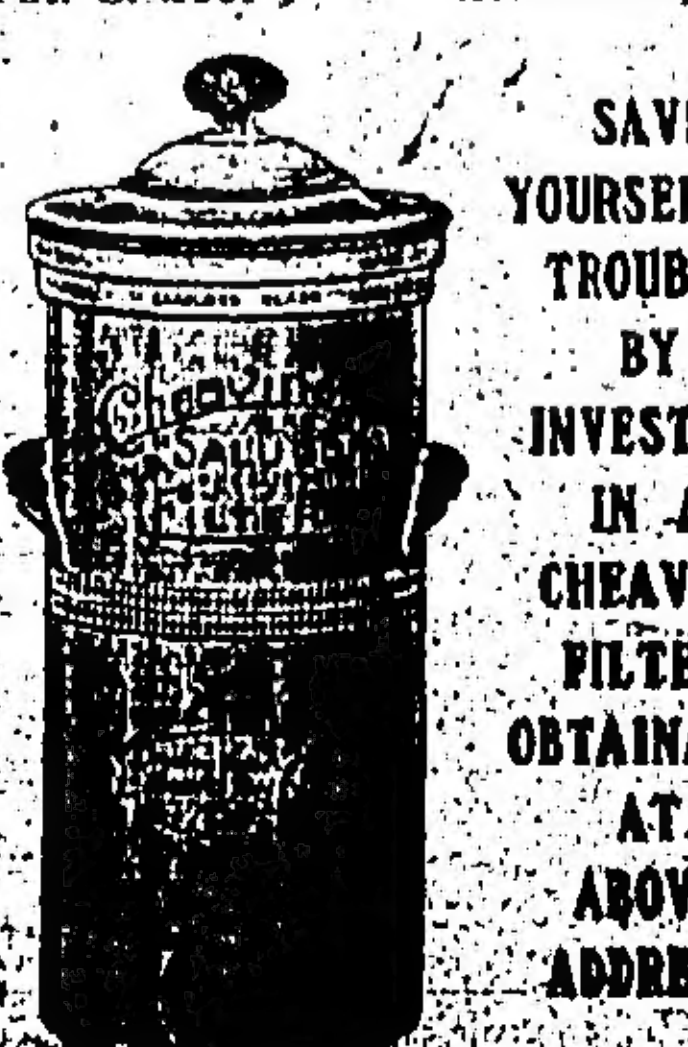
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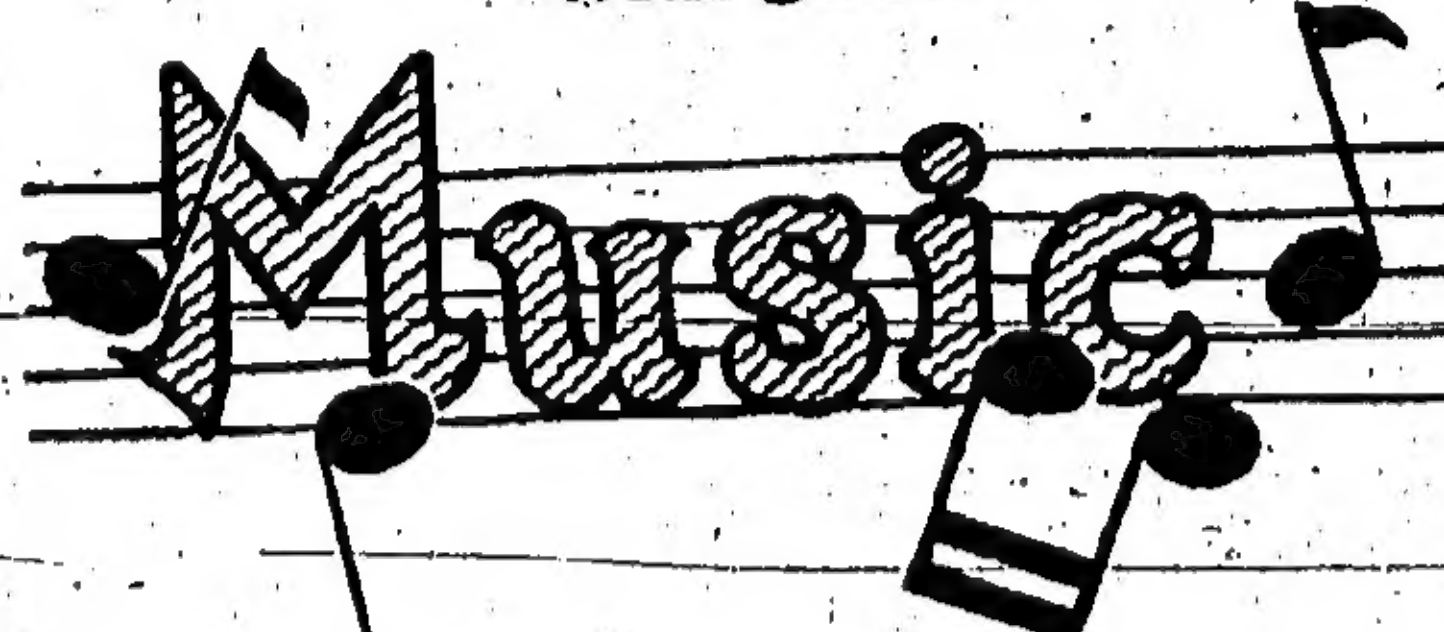
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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 7th to 14th August 1924, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
A. H. ROWE,  
Managing Director.

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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to 22nd August, 1924 (both days inclusive).

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,  
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Hongkong, 1st August, 1924.

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The Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (For Account of the Concerned), on WEDNESDAY, the 6th August, 1924, at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street,  
One "Vertex" Bent Steel Safe 32" x 24" x 24"  
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Hongkong, 30th July, 1924.

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AN INTERIM DIVIDEND of seventy five cents per share has been declared and will be PAYABLE ON AND AFTER WEDNESDAY, THE 20th AUGUST, when Dividend Warrants may be obtained upon application at the offices of the Company. The SHARE REGISTERS of the Company will be closed from WEDNESDAY, 6th AUGUST, to TUESDAY, 19th AUGUST, 1924, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board, W. E. ROBERTS, Secretary. Hongkong, 21st July, 1924.

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PRINCESS ROYAL'S OLD MASTERS. A sale of about 50 pictures by old masters, the property of the Princess Royal, was fixed by Messrs. Christie, for July 18. Three of the portraits are well known examples of Sir Joshua Reynolds, and at the head of the sale is a portrait of the Princess in the uniform of a British Officer, which was painted by Sir John Everett Millais.

## WELFARE OF ANIMALS.

Mr. Jerome on Cruelty by Vanity.

A large number of humanitarian societies joined together at Home to hold an Animals' Week. There was a conference recently in the Caxton Hall, and the Prime Minister and Mrs. Annie Besant, who had just come over from India, spoke at a Queen's Hall demonstration. Mr. George Arliss, the American actor, who is a keen worker in the anti-vivisectionist cause in his own country, was in the chair at the Caxton Hall conference and Miss Lind-a-Hagby spoke with her usual vigour. She urged that the anti-vivisectionist movement needs a new birth and new methods.

It was pointed out that in spite of the last Royal Commission, vivisection goes on, research funds are growing, laboratories are increasing, and women are taking up vivisection in ever-increasing numbers. More and more mad experiments in physiology were being made. On the one hand there was this increase in vivisection and on the other is a great body of instructed thought that had been built up against it. What was wanted was for a "mental bridge" to be built between the two—between the moralist and the scientist who worked feverishly in his laboratory.

She argued that the true solutions to such problems as that of cancer were to be found in simplification of life and diet. They must work to make the medical profession teachers of health instead of delvers into disease and students of every abomination under the sun. She appealed for greater consistency and logic among humanitarians themselves. Some, for instance, were against the hunting of animals but were in favour of vivisection as being in the supposed interests of science.

## RABBITS.

Mr. Isaac Foot, the Liberal M.P. for Bodmin, gave an account of what is aimed at by his Protection of Animals Bill, which recently passed its second reading. A good example of the useful work that is being done by private members. It was hoped that this bill would put a stop to rabbit coursing. It imposed a penalty upon anyone who organises the hunting or coursing of any animal which has been kept in captivity. Rabbit coursing was organised purely for gain. It was amazing that we should pride ourselves on having got rid of such sports of our ancestors as cockfighting and bear-baiting and yet could tolerate a "cruel sport of this kind, which would not exist but for the bookmakers. Mr. Jerome K. Jerome presided in the afternoon when diet and dress were the subjects discussed. Mr. Jerome said that there was much less cruelty in the world than he once thought. They were not up against cruelty as much as women's vanity and man's stupidity. The bulk of cruelty was caused by people who were otherwise quite good-natured. He instanced gourmets who ate terrapin, squirrels who went fox-hunting, and ladies who ornamented their hats with osprey plumes.

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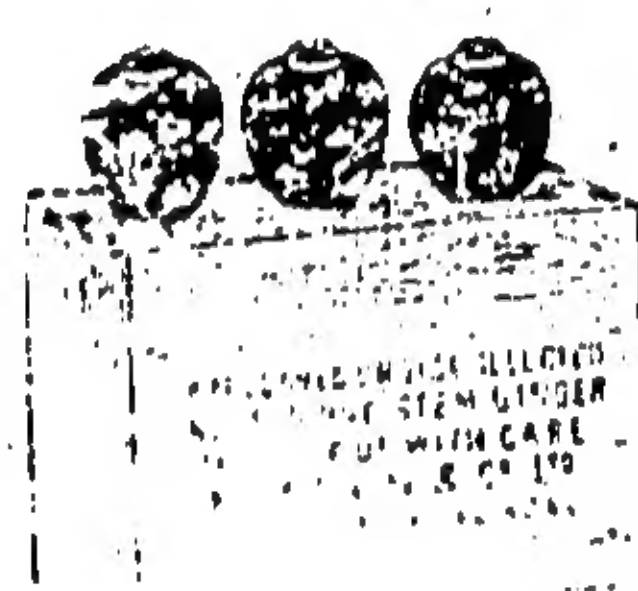
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room of the Dockyard Recreation  
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the occasion of much conviviality by  
members and friends, among whom  
were a large number of Indians.Mr. J. S. Gillingham a Chairman  
opened the proceedings with a brief  
and apt speech and the called upon  
the President, Commodore Grace, to  
open the Club.In his speech declaring the Club  
open, Commodore Grace said that  
the old Club which was brought into  
existence many years ago had proved  
unsuitable for the accommodation  
of its ever-growing membership. It  
gave him great pleasure to open  
these new premises, for he fully  
realized what club life stood for,  
especially in Hongkong. Conclud-  
ing, the Commodore toasted the  
success of the Club and was joined  
in the drinking by all present.The entertainment then commene-  
ed with a smart little burlesque,  
"A Frame Up" in which Commo-  
dore Grace, and Messrs J. S. Gil-  
lingham, F. A. Brown and E.Newham took part.  
The newly formed "Nomads" or-  
chestra provided well chosen selec-  
tions, and are to be congratulated  
on the success of their initial ap-  
pearance. "Minnetonka" and  
"Parade of the Wooden Soldiers"being particularly good.  
Many artistes of local reputation  
appeared, among whom were Mrs.  
H. L. Lockhart, Mr. A. B. Allan,  
Mr. C. Olive and Mr. H. Anniss, all  
of whom met with an enthusiastic  
reception and were compelled to  
appear again.Newcomers of considerable merit  
also had a place in the programme  
and of these Mrs. W. Fleming, who  
was accompanied by her husband,  
and Miss W. Littleton will without  
doubt be heard of again.Mr. J. S. Gillingham proved to be  
a card manipulator of no mean skill,  
while balance was given to the  
entertainment by a banjo solo by  
Mr. R. Francis, and a selection of  
humorous anecdotes and a musical  
monologue by the Revd. G. C.  
Howard. Commodore Grace render-  
ed "Twilight" in a manner which  
got his audience going, and they  
took up the chorus fortissimo. "A  
Bachelor Gay" by Mr. Woodward  
also caught their fancy to the point  
of vocalisation.Mr. A. Hake at the piano was of  
great assistance to the various  
artists.On the conclusion of the happy  
evening, near about midnight, a  
hearty vote of thanks to the Com-  
modore was carried unanimously  
and was followed by three of the  
loudest cheers the Dockyard has  
yet heard.**THE WORLD FLIGHTS****ZANNI REACHES KARACHI.**Karachi, Aug. 2.—Zanni has  
arrived.—*Reuter.*Americans Encounter Fog.  
London, Aug. 2.—The American  
world fliers have left Kirkwall for  
Iceland.Later.—The American world  
fliers Smith and Wado have  
returned to Kirkwall. They lost  
their companion Nelson in the fog  
twenty-five miles from the Orkney  
Islands.Later.—The third American  
world flier Nelson has returned to  
Kirkwall.—*Reuter.*London, August 2.—The report  
of Lieut Nelson's return to  
Kirkwall is incorrect. He has  
arrived at Harnaford, Iceland.—*Reuter.*London, August 3.—Nelson  
covered the five hundred miles  
from Kirkwall to Harnaford in  
eight hours nineteen minutes. He  
lost his companions in the fog  
shortly after leaving Kirkwall. The  
others finding the fog impenetrable  
returned, but Nelson went on  
thinking his comrades were above  
him. An hour later he sighted  
Fair Isle and then was able to as-  
certain his position. He next  
sighted one of the patrol ships  
which he was able to confirm his  
course.London, August 3.—The world  
fliers Smith and Wado yesterday  
for Iceland this morning in ideal  
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baseball results are as under:  
Played on Saturday.**National League.**  
New York ..... 5 St. Louis ..... 4  
Brooklyn ..... 3 Cincinnati ..... 2  
Pittsburg ..... 7 Boston ..... 0  
Chicago ..... 5 Philadelphia ..... 1**American League.**  
New York ..... 5 Chicago ..... 4  
Detroit ..... 5 Philadelphia ..... 0  
Cleveland ..... 2 Washington ..... 3  
Boston ..... 4 St. Louis ..... 2  
Played on Sunday.**National League.**  
Brooklyn ..... 5 Cincinnati ..... 1  
Brooklyn ..... 1 Cincinnati ..... 0  
New York ..... 6 St. Louis ..... 4**American League.**  
Chicago ..... 7 New York ..... 6  
St. Louis ..... 9 Boston ..... 6  
Detroit ..... 2 Philadelphia ..... 4  
Cleveland ..... 3 Washington ..... 4  
Played on Monday.**National League.**  
St. Louis ..... 0 New York ..... 0  
Cincinnati ..... 3 Brooklyn ..... 2  
Philadelphia ..... 12 Chicago ..... 11  
Pittsburg ..... 5 Boston ..... 3**American League.**  
New York ..... 8 Chicago ..... 3  
New York ..... 12 Chicago ..... 10  
Philadelphia ..... 7 Detroit ..... 4  
Boston ..... 10 St. Louis ..... 4  
Cleveland ..... 2 Washington ..... 1  
Played on Tuesday.**National League.**  
New York ..... 5 St. Louis ..... 2  
Cincinnati ..... 12 Brooklyn ..... 2  
Chicago ..... 4 Philadelphia ..... 3  
Pittsburg ..... 8 Boston ..... 1**American League.**  
New York ..... 9 Chicago ..... 4  
Detroit ..... 4 Philadelphia ..... 3  
Cleveland ..... 4 Washington ..... 2  
St. Louis ..... 3 Boston ..... 0  
Played on Wednesday.**National League.**  
Pittsburg ..... 6 New York ..... 8  
Brooklyn ..... 6 Chicago ..... 0  
St. Louis ..... 9 Philadelphia ..... 8  
Boston ..... 3 Cincinnati ..... 3**American League.**  
Cleveland ..... 5 Philadelphia ..... 4  
Chicago ..... 7 Boston ..... 0  
Washington ..... 7 Detroit ..... 4  
Played on Thursday.**National League.**  
Chicago ..... 4 Brooklyn ..... 1  
St. Louis ..... 6 Philadelphia ..... 3  
Boston ..... 8 Cincinnati ..... 2**American League.**  
St. Louis ..... 2 New York ..... 4  
St. Louis ..... 5 New York ..... 4  
Washington ..... 1 Detroit ..... 0  
Chicago ..... 5 Boston ..... 3  
Philadelphia ..... 7 Cleveland ..... 3  
Philadelphia ..... 3 Cleveland ..... 4  
Played on Friday.**LAWN TENNIS LEAGUE.****DIVISION II.**Club de Recreo v.  
Netherlands T. C.Lawn tennis was again possible  
on Saturday, after a long spell  
of wet, and the match between the  
above clubs was played off on the  
Club de Recreo's ground. The  
Portuguese won by 60 games to 39.  
Scores.—Hyndman and Silva (Club de R.)  
beat Nikkele and Houtroz 7-4,  
beat Leeuw and Egmond 6-5, lost  
to Nethenius and Groot 2-0.  
Osmund and Remedios (Club de  
R.) beat Nikkele and Houtroz 8-3,  
beat Leeuw and Egmond 9-2, beat  
Nethenius and Groot 7-4.Noronha and Sousa beat Nikkele  
and Houtroz 8-3, beat Leeuw and  
Egmond 8-3, lost to Nethenius and  
Groot 5-6.  
**Division I. Championship.**  
Considerable interest centres in  
the meeting of the "I. R. C." and  
the K. O. C. in the first division of  
the lawn tennis league champion-  
ship. The K. O. C. club is the  
only unbeaten side in the league  
and a victory over the Indians  
would give them the championship.  
If, however, the Indians win, there  
will be three clubs with one defeat  
each.—K. O. C., Indians, and  
U. S. R. C. In that event a play-  
off will become necessary. It is  
likely that the teams will be fairly  
evenly matched and a very good  
game should result. It is fixed for  
next Saturday.**Friendly Military Encounter.**  
On Saturday the Hongkong  
Volunteers put a tennis team in the  
field against the East Surrey Regi-  
ment and defeated the Regulars  
with some ease. The game was  
played on the courts of the Hong-  
kong Cricket Club, the Volunteers  
winning by 72 games to 27.  
Scores.—Sowell and Owen Hughes (Vol-  
unteers) beat Bates and Alfie 7-4,  
beat Paton and Mantano 10-1,  
beat Kent and Sutton 11-0.  
Mitchell and Armstrong (Volun-  
teers) beat Bates and Alfie 6-5,  
beat Paton and Mantano 8-3,  
beat Kent and Sutton 8-3.  
Mackenzie and Lloyd (Volun-  
teers) lost to Bates and Alfie 2-0,  
beat Paton and Mantano 9-2,  
beat Kent and Sutton 11-0.**National League.**  
New York ..... 8 Pittsburg ..... 1  
Brooklyn ..... 4 Chicago ..... 0  
Boston ..... 8 Cincinnati ..... 2**American League.**  
New York ..... 2 St. Louis ..... 2  
Chicago ..... 2 Boston ..... 1  
Philadelphia ..... 4 Cleveland ..... 3  
Washington ..... 7 Detroit ..... 8  
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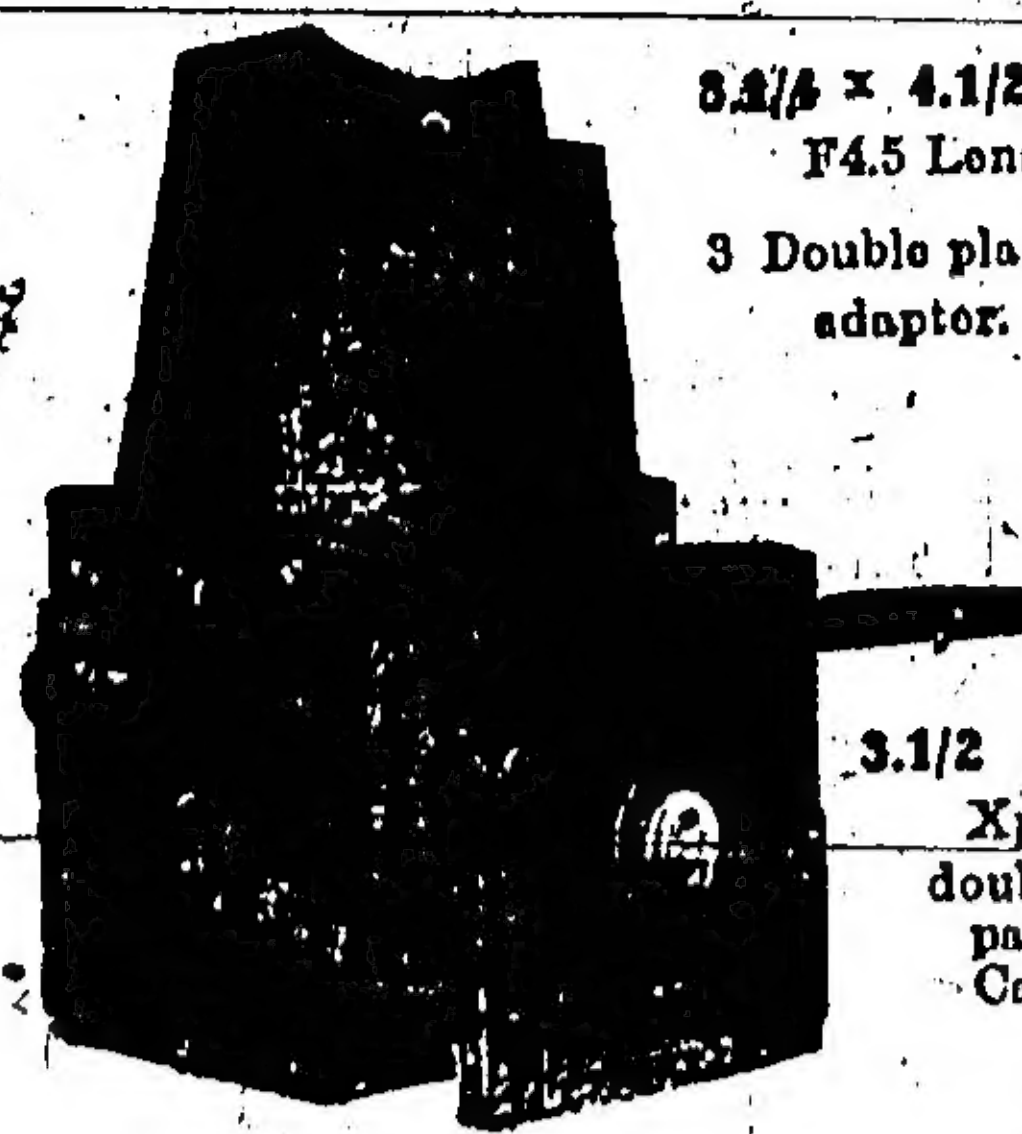
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## LAWN BOWLS.

### SIX LEAGUE MATCHES ON SATURDAY.

There was a full programme of matches in the Lawn Bowls League on Saturday, three in the first and three in the second division. At one time it looked as if rain would interfere, but although there were one or two slight showers, the weather cleared and all the games were completed.

It was a day of surprises. The Police registered their first victory in seven matches by defeating the Kowloon Bowling Green Club by 16 points, but they still remain at the bottom of the table. Craigengower received a visit from the undefeated Civil Service Cricket Club and pleased their supporters by being the first Club to lower their neighbours' colours. By their victory they displaced Kowloon Cricket Club, who went down to Taikeo, in the third position of the table.

The biggest surprise of the day was the defeat of the Kowloon Dock Recreation Club by the Indian R. C. at Soekunpoo, in the second division. When the teams previously met the Dock side scored an easy victory, and it was fully expected that they would repeat this on Saturday. However, the Indian R. C. rose to the occasion in fine style and got the better of their more experienced opponents by the narrow margin of four points. By reason of their victory, the Indian R. C. go to the head of the second division table, chiefly due to the fact that they have played more games than any other team, though they have a balance of 13 points against them. Details of the matches follow, the home team being placed first in each instance.

### DIVISION I.

Kowloon C. C. v Taikeo R. C.

Played at the Kowloon C.C., the visitors winning by 0 points.

R. C. Hunter, A. O. Brown, W. Goldenberg and J. Hyde lost to John Sloan, T. Grimsdale, R. Wallace and W. Witherspoon, 15 points to 24.  
H. Overy, J. Conley, L. Lamert and J. Gibson lost to E. Bateman, J. Whyte, J. MacLachlan and N. Drummond, 15 to 18.  
R. Abraham, H. Davis, C. J. Tuck, and A. G. Pile beat T. Young, J. McCubbin, G. Morrison and A. Hamilton, 24 to 21.  
Totals: Kowloon C.C., 54; Taikeo R.C., 63.

Kowloon B. C. v Police R. C.

Played at Kowloon B. C., the visitors winning by 16 points.  
R. Goodman, R. Forsyth, W. Macfarlane and P. Russell lost to L. Whant, E. Post, W. Sward and A. Clark, 20 points to 22.  
J. Synch, J. Chapman, R. Hall and L. Guy lost to D. Reid, D. Murphy, W. Hollands and J. Clark, 14 to 24.  
A. R. Whitley, J. McLaughan, R. Lapsley and D. Harvey lost to J. McLennan, W. Glendenning, D. Clark and J. Grant, 16 to 20.  
Totals: Kowloon B. C. C., 50; Police R. C., 66.

Craigengower C. C. v Civil Service C. C.

Played at Craigengower, the home team winning by 16 points.  
W. B. McKell, D. Fritz, G. Green and B. W. Bradbury beat F. Smith, K. Gregory, A. Grimsmet and W. Hill, 28 points to 17.  
C. Alves, C. Rodrigues, F. Fisher and R. Basa lost to A. Oawick, R. Smith, W. Knight and A. S. Mill, 16 to 20.  
A. Taylor, C. Rowselet, H. Dennis and A. Macfarlane beat W. Cullip, C. Sara, R. Duncan and A. B. Allan, 22 to 13.  
Totals: Craigengower, 66; Civil Service, 60.

### DIVISION II.

R.H.E.Y.C. v Kowloon B.G.C.

Played at the Yacht Club, the home team winning by 7 points.

Y. W. Sollars, L. Ashcroft, E. W. Carpenter and J. L. Shalleher beat D. Huzal, A. Morley, W. Johnston and D. Muir, 22 to 14.  
H. W. Potley, S. T. Williamson, W. D. Jamie and T. H. G. Brayfield lost to C. Hatt, H. Pentman and W. McKay 16 to 17.  
V. P. Waters, A. J. Stock, G. M. Shaw and G. R. Edwards drew with W. Smith, D. S. Warren, R. Hunter and B. Wylie 18 all.  
Totals: R. H. E. Y. C., 50; Kowloon B. G. C., 40.

Indian R.C. v Kowloon Dock R.C.

Played at the Indian R. C. ground, the home team winning by 4 points.

V. Espina, S. E. Bus, H. Ram and U. Omar drew with F. Goodman, R. Dixon, J. Panchoon and D. Gow, 18 all.  
E. el Arculli, A. H. Madan, K. Hartman, and D. Rumbahn beat R. Dockerty, W. Hedley, C. Gourlay, and W. Johnston, 21 to 11.

A. Hyder, S. Ismail, O. B. Kitchell, and S. E. Ismail lost to J. B. Hamilton, J. M. Smyth, D. Keith, and C. Atkinson 15 to 21.

Totals: Indian R. C., 54; Kowloon Dock R. C., 50.

Taikeo R.C. v Kowloon C.C.

Played at Taikeo, the home team winning by 18 points.

W. Orlinton, C. B. Matthews, W. Weir and T. Grimes beat J. C. Fletcher, C. G. Harrison, J. P. Robinson and D. A. Purves, 21 to 15.  
J. Muirhead, H. McKennie, J. Sloan and G. McLeod lost to F. G. Herridge, P. Heathcote, W. Hyde, and P. W. Ramsay, 15 to 21.  
E. Barker, F. Peterson, M. O'Brien, and J. Laing beat E. Honther, J. Howe, V. C. Lohrum and A. W. E. Davidson, 31 to 15.  
Totals: Taikeo R. C., 67; Kowloon C.C., 51.

Singles Championship.

The closing date of the Open Singles Championship has been further extended to August 11th.

### LEAGUE TABLES

Division I.

	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
Taikeo R. C.	5	5	—	10
Civil Service C. C.	4	4	1	8
Craigengower C. C.	3	3	3	6
Kowloon C. C.	4	2	2	4
Kowloon B. G. C.	5	1	4	2
Police R. C.	7	1	6	2

Shots for and Against.

	Shots.	Shots.
For Agst. Up	Down.	

Taikeo R. C. 350 210 131

Civil Service 311 272 30

Craigengower 311 352 41

Kowloon C. C. 245 238 7

Kowloon B.G.C. 265 296 31

Police R. C. 365 470 105

Division II.

	P.	W.	L.	Pts.
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Indian R.C. 5 3 2 6

Kowloon Dock R. C. 3 2 1 4

Taikeo R.C. 3 2 1 4

Kowloon B.G.C. 3 2 1 4

R. H. E. Y. C. 3 1 2 2

Kowloon C.C. 5 1 4 2

Shots For and Against.

	Shots.	Shots.
For Agst. Up	Down.	

Indian R. C. 285 298 13

Kowloon Dock 200 137 69

Taikeo R. C. 182 161 31

Kowloon B.G.C. 170 148 28

R.H.E.Y.C. 153 109 46

Kowloon C.C. 260 320 69

### RUGBY FOOTBALL.

#### BRITISH TEAM DRAW WITH TRANSVAAL.

Johannesburg, Aug. 2.—The British Rugby team drew with Transvaal, twelve points each—Reuter.



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## U. S. WORLD FLIERS.

### ANOTHER DELAY.

#### Lieut Wade Forced to Descend.

Reuter's cables appearing in another part of this issue report the arrival of Lieut. Eric Nelson at Hornsford, Iceland, but the failure of Lieut. Lowell Smith and Leigh Wade to make headway in a thick fog encountered about 25 miles from the Orkneys, so that they had to return to Kirkwall, Lieut. Nelson, by aid of a patrol boat, managed to get through, doing the 500 miles from Kirkwall to Iceland in 8 hours 19 minutes. Later messages reported the resumption of the flight by Lieutenants Smith and Wade yesterday in ideal weather, but there has been a further check.

A Hornsford message received this morning, dated August 3rd, states that Lieut. Smith got through but Lieut. Wade failed. The airman accounted rain-torments, a squall, and fog. Lieut. Wade descended on to the sea midway between



Lt. Leigh Wade.

Hornsford and Seana Flow, and was taken in tow by a trawler. A later report, from Kirkwall, states that this forced descent was 110 miles off the Orkneys.

Reuter's cables, later, Lieut. Wade was found with his machine, the engine of which is only slightly damaged. The machine will be able to start off again very shortly. — Reuter.

### ZANNI'S PROGRESS.

News cables printed on another page of this issue record the arrival of the Argentine aviator Zanni at Karachi on August 2. This makes his time from Paris six days (he left Amsterdam on July 26 and Paris on July 27). It is very good going, but two days longer than Daisy's time. The Frenchman left Paris on April 25 and reached Karachi on April 29.

## BASEBALL.

### CLUB DEFEAT JAPANESE.

A brilliant match at Happy Valley on Saturday resulted in the Hongkong Baseball Club defeating the Japanese team by 6 runs to 3.

The Japanese did not score until the seventh, and final innings. The Club had notched two runs in the opening innings, two more in the third, and a further two in the fifth. The losers were consistently good, and deserved their eleventh-hour points.

The teams were:—  
Japanese: Y. Hachiuma c., Ishimatsu p., S. Hachiuma s.s., Eto 1 b., Hayashi 2 b., Fukushima 3 b., Ishida r.f., Nishimura o.f., Kusano l.f., Club: Proulx c., Clegg p., C. Shank s.s., Ryan 1 b., Wilson 2 b., O'Connor 3 b., Harlow r.f., Moran o.f., C. Shank l.f.  
Mosses Featherstone and Jung umpired.

A charity match in aid of Chinese flood victims was to have taken place yesterday, but has been postponed to next Sunday.

## NEW COMMODORE.

### DUE TO ARRIVE HERE IN DECEMBER.

It has been officially announced over the week-end that Commodore E. Grace, R.N., will be relieved in December by Captain A.J.B. Stirling, C.B.

Captain Anselan John Buchanan Stirling, R.N., C.B., was born on the 27th of June, 1875, being the son of Col. J. S. Stirling of Garzunnock, Stirlingshire. He was educated at the Royal Naval School, Newcross, and in 1889 he joined H.M.S. Britannia, going to sea in 1891. He was in H.M.S. Barfleur in China during the Boxer Rising in 1900, being severely wounded in an attack on Chinese field guns, having to be invalided home. From 1910 to 1913 he served at the Admiralty, and during the European War served with the Grand Fleet Flotillas. He was present at the Battle of Jutland, being in Command of the Destroyer Flotilla. In 1916 he was made a Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and also possesses the Russian Order of St. Anne, 2nd Class with swords, whilst he is an Officer de Legion d'Honneur.

In 1905 he married Miss Margaret Grierson, daughter of Sir Philip Hamilton Grierson, who for many years was Solicitor for Scotland to the Board of Inland Revenue. There are one son and two daughters.

For some time past Captain Stirling has been living at Southsea. His principal recreation is golf.

## NOTED AUTHOR DEAD.

### DEATH OF JOSEPH CONRAD.

London, August 3.—The death is announced of Joseph Conrad, the novelist.

By the death of Joseph Conrad there passes away one of the most widely known writers of sea stories. Born in 1857 of Polish parentage, Joseph Conrad first of all went to sea, rising to the rank of Master. He published his first book "Almazar's Polly" in 1895, since when he has written a large number of novels, mostly dealing with life at sea. Among his publications were the following:—An Outcast of the Islands (1896), The Nigger or the Narcissus (1897), Tales of Unrest (1898), Lord Jim (1900), Youth and other tales (1902), Typhoon (1903). In collaboration with F. M. Hueffer he wrote The Inheritors (1901) and Romance (1903); Nostromo, a tale of the sea-board was written in 1904; Conrad's other writing being: One Day More, a play (1905), The Mirror of the Sea (1906), The Secret Agent (1907), A Set of Six (1908), Under Western Eyes (1911), Some Reminiscences (1912), "Wreck Land and Sea" (1912), Chance (1914), Within the Tides (1915), Victory (1915), The Shadow-Line (1917), The Arrow of Gold (1919), Rescue (1920), and Notes on Life and Letters (1921). Deceased lived at Oswalds, Bishopsbourne, Kent, and was a member of the Athenaeum Club.

## YAUMATI FIRE.

### BRICK BUILDING DAMAGED.

A brick building of three floors, at No. 1008, Waterloo Road, immediately behind the Yaumati Waterworks, caught fire at 6.45 on Saturday night. The blaze was dealt with by the Kowloon Brigade, which turned out all their equipment. The ground floor, which was occupied by a printing press, and an electrical store, was burnt out, the upper floors were only damaged.

There was no loss of life, as the dwellers in the upper floors had been warned to evacuate.

## NEW TERRITORY DISCOVERY.

### WHITESTONE DEPOSIT FOUND.

Whitestone, which is one of the commodities extensively used in the mixture of plaster facings for public buildings, has been discovered in workable quantities in the New Territories. It is learned that an extensive deposit of this valuable mineral has been discovered on Tsing-I Island and that M. Guidon Lavallo, a Hongkong mineral expert, has been granted a permit by the Government to exploit the find.

The deposit at this place takes the form of several seams, and a test has confirmed the opinion of the mineralogist that the whitestone compares favourably with other grades brought here. Hitherto the Colony has been entirely dependent on supplies imported from North China and Japan, but with reported ample supplies at Tsing-I Island, local building contractors should await developments in this quarter with great interest.

White quartz plaster, which is obtained by subjecting whitestone to a grinding process, has many uses outside of the building industry. One of the most familiar is the making of inverted bowls for electric lights. Market prices obtainable for whitestone range from \$5 to \$10 per picul, according to the grade.

## NAVAL NOTES.

### CHINA STATION ADDITIONS.

Lieutenant I. M. N. Mudie, late of the destroyer Vendetta, and Lieutenant J. G. Henderson, from the battleship Benbow, will command the two motor-launches which are being sent to China for service on the Yangtze river, Nos. 307 and 619. The river gunboat Moth, which was temporarily commissioned for the West River with ratings lent from the Despatch, has been paid off for a refit at Hongkong, which will be completed about the middle of August, when she will be recommissioned with a new crew from England.

Three of the 17-knot war sloops are being refitted at home ports for foreign service. It is understood that one of them is going to the China Station. A number of the relics of the old light cruiser Kent—which was on the China Station when the late war opened—are to be presented to the new cruiser which is to be built at Chatham. During July the sloop Foxglove, Commander H. V. Hudson, O.B.E., was ordered to resume duty on the China Station after an extensive refit at Hongkong. The refit took almost six months to complete. The depot ship of the submarine flotilla at Hongkong, the Ambrosio, Commander J. G. Bower, D.S.O., also completed her refit at Hongkong and recently resumed duty.

## THE "KONG NING."

### EFFORTS TO REFLOAT MOTOR SHIP.

The motor ship Kong Ning, which went over the river bank during the recent floods just above Shihing, is still at the place where she went aground. She is some four hundred yards from the river, in the midst of big clumps of mulberry bushes, and it will be necessary to construct a slipway to get her back on to the river. The water is gradually subsiding and it is expected that she will soon be high and dry on an even keel. She has sustained no damage. By arrangement with a village elder, a Chinese guard has been placed over the ship, although the neighbourhood appears to be a peaceful one.

## WOUNDING AFFRAY.

### TROUBLE ON A SHIP.

At the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, Chan Sang, a passenger on the s.s. Hong Hwa, was charged with maliciously wounding Li Hing, another passenger, at 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

It appears that defendant had complained that the other man had taken \$200 from his basket on the previous night, and it is alleged that yesterday morning the defendant went into the complainant's cabin whilst the latter was asleep and wounded him with a razor.

The complainant was removed to hospital in a serious condition, and his dying depositions were taken by the magistrate yesterday morning.

A week's remand was granted.

## POSED AS CONSTABLE.

### WOULDN'T PAY MOTOR BUS FARE.

At the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, a Chinese was charged with riding in a motor bus belonging to the Kai Tak Motor Bus Company without paying his fare, at 10 p.m. on Saturday.

The evidence of the conductor was that the defendant boarded the bus near the Po Hing Theatre, and when asked for his fare he replied that he was a police constable and refused to buy a ticket. When an inspector boarded the tram, the defendant told the same story and again refused to buy a ticket. Near the Hung Hom Station, he was given in charge. His Worship, in finding the defendant \$10, or fourteen days' hard labour, said the heavy penalty was due to the fact that defendant had falsely claimed to be a constable.

## FLOOD RELIEF.

### PROCESSIONS IN HONGKONG.

An intensive drive for funds in aid of the victims in the inundated regions in Kwangtung has been within the last few days been apparent in Hongkong. Boy scouts, Y.M.C.A. students and others have been making a street-to-street collection, their progress being marked by the beating of tom-toms, the clanging of gongs and the ringing of many bells.

Quite an artistic touch was evidenced by one group yesterday, when a picture was carried which displayed in lurid colours the horrors of an inundation. The genius responsible for this tableau may not have proceeded about his task with the ability of an artist, but he certainly has succeeded in conveying to a curious public a just appreciation of some of the sufferings now endured by the unfortunate up-country folk.

## TIENTSIN RELIEVED.

### BURSTING OF DYKE STAVES OFF DANGER.

Tientsin, August 3.—The Hsiao dyke burst this morning near Yang Luiching, flooding the depression southward between the Grand Canal and the Helho. As an immediate result the Tientsin river is a foot lower and it is anticipated that the relief will continue for four days when the depression will be filled. The water is then expected to turn the Grand Canal dykes and to flow to the sea. Heavy rains will continue up country. In Tientsin the water level has fallen and the danger is over.

## THE TYPHOON.

### WHY THE SIGNAL WAS HOISTED.

Owing to the typhoon to the south of the Colony having recurred to the north-east, after it had been slowly moving westward, the No. 1 warning signal was again hoisted on Saturday night and remained up until 6.55 last night.

The Observatory reports that at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, the typhoon was situated north of the Pratas, moving north-east—or, in other words, going in the direction of the Formosa Channel. At 2 o'clock in the afternoon, it was in Lat. 22, Long. 118, almost due east of the Colony, moving in the same direction. Cyclonic gales were predicted in the Formosa Channel.

## NAVAL DOCKYARD.

### NEW RECREATION CLUB OPENED.

Saturday was a red-letter day in the history of the Naval Dockyard Recreation Club for their much-needed new club premises were open by the President, Commodore H. E. Grace, R.N. On Friday, the "Paying Off" pennant was flown from the steps of the old Club, and on Saturday the members took possession of the new. The rooms were tastefully decorated for the occasion and were taxed to capacity.

The chair was taken by Mr. J. S. Gillingham, who said how very pleased the members were with their new Club, and called upon the Commodore to declare it open.

Commodore Grace said the Dockyard Club was formed some years ago. It had now grown to large dimensions and the old premises had proved to be too small. He went on to speak enthusiastically of his ideal of the meaning of a social club and showed his sympathetic understanding of what Club life stood for in Hongkong. The Commodore concluded by drinking to the success of the new Club.

A "frame-up" game of snooker was the next item on the programme, and Commodore Grace, partnered by Mr. E. Newham, beat Mr. J. S. Gillingham, partnered by Mr. F. A. Brown, by two points.

An excellent musical programme was then carried through, the contributors including Commodore Grace, Mr. Gillingham, the Rev. G. C. Howard, Mr. T. Bersey, Mrs. H. L. Lockhart, Mr. A. B. Allan, Mrs. W. Fleming, Mr. C. Olive, Mr. R. Francis, Miss W. Littleton, Mr. H. Annis. The "Nouveau" Jazz Band under the leadership of Mr. R. Francis rose to the occasion and discoursed exhilarating music. Mr. A. Hake accompanied with his usual capability.

Three hearty cheers were accorded the Commodore at the conclusion, and the artistes were thanked for their valuable services.

## WAR ANNIVERSARY.

### HOW GERMANY OBSERVED IT.

Berlin, August 4.—The tenth anniversary of the outbreak of the Great War was celebrated throughout Germany as a day of remembrance for the fallen. The flags on public buildings in Berlin were half-masted.

President Ebert, accompanied by Cabinet members, addressed a huge meeting from the Reichstag steps, and declared that Germany ten years ago resorted to arms solely for the defence of the Fatherland. He adjured Germans to rehabilitate the Fatherland. Military bands thereafter played the funeral march. A two minutes silence was observed, and flags were then hoisted on tops of poles. The police arrested several Communists, who created a disturbance by singing Communist songs.

## THE GENTLE ART OF BOBBING.



## CHINESE FAMINE RELIEF.

### CONDITIONS IN THE NORTH.

Peking, July 24.—Unfavourable weather has delayed the departure of the party which was to obtain pictures of the flooded area by aeroplanes. Below are some reports on the floods in Chihli and the Metropolitan Area, as received by the Head Office of the C. I. F. R. C.:

Ninghsing.—The incessant rains have caused the crops in the neighbourhood of the river to be inundated, but so far only slight damage has been made.

Tanghsien.—Excessive rainfall from July 8th to the 15th flooded the low-lying area around the river, and slightly destroyed the crops in the higher land of the district. The condition, as a whole, is not yet very serious.

Anhsin.—Continuous rainfall in the beginning of this month and the big storm on the 10th made the river rise to a height of over 10 feet. In the night of the 17th, the south dyke and several places in the dykes at Santatun collapsed, but they were immediately repaired.

Chihhsien.—Owing to the continuous rainfall in the beginning of the month and the down-pour on the 13th, the river rose suddenly. The dyke at Changhsien broke with a width of over 100 feet, and the dyke at Fengtsun also broke with a width of over 200 feet. The neighbouring villages like Yukiachuang, Shanli, and Tabeha were flooded. Countless number of crops and houses were either swept out or destroyed. The breaks are now repaired. The food supply is running short, immediate relief being expected.

Yanghsien.—Owing to the wind storms and torrential rains from July 10th to the 14th the upper Chumaho has suddenly risen to a height of over 300 feet, inundating the north-western villages. Four breaks have been made in the dykes at lower masted.

Taochingho, Wanghsien, and Shupekow, each break is about 80 feet wide. All the neighbouring villages have been inundated, and over 1500 rooms destroyed. Grains and property have mostly been washed away. The condition is very serious.

The storms on the 18th and the 20th made both the Nanpuho and the Pingpaoho burst through their dykes and also made worse the break in the dyke at the Chihhsien. The villages in the vicinity of these dykes are seriously flooded.

Peking, July 28.—T. Y. Yang, Assistant Engineer of the Chinese International Relief Committee, has just returned from a tour of inspection of the flooded areas. He reports that the condition is very serious.

## BUS TURNS OVER.

### OLD WOMAN KILLED.

One passenger, an old woman aged 65, was killed when a motor bus belonging to the Kai Tak Company overturned whilst going along the Kowloon City Road yesterday afternoon.

The accident occurred near the leather factory. Several other passengers received injuries, but these were of a minor nature.

## DAVIS CUP TENNIS.

### FRANCE MAKES PROGRESS.

Evian-les-Bains, Aug. 3.—In the singles European final of the Davis Cup, between France and Czechoslovakia, the match was decided as follows:—  
Cochet beat Zima, 6-1, 6-6, 4-6, 6-2, 6-6 (4). — Reuter.

## TO-DAY.

Closing Exchange 2s. 4.11/16.  
Lighting-Up Time 7.02 p.m.  
Low Water 6.7 p.m.

## THE CIVIL GOVERNOR FOR RELIEF FUNDS.

Chinghsien.—The incessant rains during the first half month have made the river rise to a height of over ten feet—about three feet higher than the ground level. The water remains high, and is expected to go down in about a week's time. Many houses have been destroyed.

Synnau.—Some water is accumulated in the low-lying area due to the continuous rain, but there is no flood.

Shanau.—Incessant rains have flooded the place; the water is about two feet above the ground, but it is getting down. Lots of houses have been destroyed. The natives are very poor, and the flood has made the condition worse.

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